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To: Members of the Northern Area Fisheries
Advisory Committee:
(Messrs. E. P. Ecroyd, (Chairman);
A. E. I. Bell; F. Bunting; E. Cave;
A. C. Findlay; A. Gleaden; B. Irving;
A. Marshall; J. S. Marshall; Wm. McKenna;
A. Moffat; G. B. Sedgwick; J. Thompson;
G. N. F. Wingate; and the Chairman of the
Authority (G. Mann); the Vice Chairman of
the Authority (A. Richardson); and the
Chairman of the Regional Fisheries Advisory
Committee (T. A. F. Barnes) (ex officio)).

Dear Member,

Will you please attend a meeting of the NORTHERN AREA FISHERIES
ADVISORY COMMITTEE to be held at 2.30 p.m. on MONDAY, 29th MARCH 1982,
in the CONFERENCE ROOM of the AUTHORITY'S NORTHERN DIVISION SUB-DISTRICT
OFFICE, ULLSWATER ROAD, PENRITH, for consideration of the following
business.

Yours faithfully,

W. H. CRACKLE,

Secretary and Solicitor.

A G E N D A

1. Apologies for absence.
2. Minutes of the meeting held on 12th October, 1981, (previously circulated and approved by the Regional Fisheries Advisory Committee on 9th November 1981. Enclosed herewith are the Minutes of the Regional Fisheries Advisory Committee for 9th November and 14th December 1981, and for 1st February 1982).
3. Membership of the Committee.
4. West Cumbria Water Resources.
5. Fishery Improvement Grant and Fishery Equipment Loan Schemes.
6. Cumbrian Coastal Waters Net Limitation Order.
7. Report by the Area Fisheries Officer on Fisheries Activities.
8. Calendar of Meetings 1981-82.
9. Rod and Line Fishing Licences Format (to be tabled).
10. Any other business.

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE
REGIONAL FISHERIES ADVISORY COMMITTEE

9TH NOVEMBER 1981

Present:

T. A. F. Barnes, Esq., (Chairman)	
J. S. Bailey, Esq.	J. E. Gouldbourn, Esq.
W. S. Bell, Esq.	R. D. Houghton, Esq.
A. G. R. Brown, Esq.	J. Johnson, Esq.
F. Bunting, Esq.	I. Jones, Esq.
H. Caunce, Esq.	J. E. Redhead, Esq.
E. P. Ecroyd, Esq.	A. Richardson, Esq.
J. H. Fell, Esq.	Major J. G. W. Skipwith
G. Wilson, Esq.	

23. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence from the meeting were received from Mr. J. M. Croft, Mr. G. E. Lowe, Mr. G. Mann and Mr. Wm. McKenna.

24. MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING

RESOLVED:

That the minutes of the last meeting of the Committee held on 21st September 1981, be approved as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.

25. MINUTES OF AREA ADVISORY COMMITTEES

(A) Northern Area

The Chairman of the Northern Area Advisory Committee submitted the minutes of the meeting held on 12th October 1981.

RESOLVED:

(1) That with the exception of minute no. 12 the minutes be approved.

(2) That the recommendation in minute no. 12 (Restructuring of Rod and Line Fishing Licence Duties) be considered under the appropriate agenda item.

(B) Central Area

In the absence of the Chairman of the Central Area Advisory Committee, Mr. J. H. Fell submitted the minutes of the meeting held on 14th October 1981.

RESOLVED:

(1) That with the exception of minute no's. 10 and 12 the minutes, be approved.

- (2) That the recommendation in minute no. 10 (Restructuring of Rod and Line Fishing Licence Duties) be considered under the appropriate agenda item.

Following consideration of the recommendation in minute no. 12 (Proposal for a fish trap on Forge Weir, River Lune) and of the factors taken into account by the Area Committee when formulating this recommendation, it was

RECOMMENDED:

That the recommendation of the Central Area Committee be not approved and that the construction of a fish trap at Forge Weir be carried out at the same time if and when permanent repairs to that weir are undertaken.

(C) Southern Area

The Chairman of the Southern Area Advisory Committee submitted the minutes of the meeting held on 21st October 1981.

RESOLVED:

- (1) That with the exception of minute no. 9 and subject to the deletion of the words 'at Ribchester' where those words appear in line 8 of minute no. 14 (Bostock Hall Stock Pond) the minutes be approved.
- (2) That the recommendation in minute no. 9 (Restructuring of Rod and Line Fishing Licence Duties) be considered under the appropriate agenda item.

26. RESTRUCTURING OF ROD AND LINE FISHING LICENCE DUTIES

Further to minute no. 12 of the meeting held on 13th July 1981, it was noted that the report on the restructuring of rod and line fishing licence duties had been considered by the three Area Committees. The Committee considered a report (attached hereto as an appendix) incorporating the recommendations of the Area Committees under the headings of A, B and C, and set out on the first page of the appendix. After a full debate on all the available options and in accordance with recommendation B(1) of the Central Area it was proposed and seconded that:

Subject to the cost of anti-poaching work being excluded from the activity analysis the four-tier licence structure whereby the unit price of season fishing licences would be: salmon £25.50; migratory trout £8.50; non-migratory trout £4.70 and coarse fish £3.45, be adopted by the Authority to take effect on and from 1st January 1983.

The following amendment was then proposed and seconded:

That the four tier licence structure as presented to the three Area Committees whereby the unit price of season fishing licences would be: salmon £36.00; migratory trout £12.00; non-migratory trout £3.60 and coarse fish £2.60, be adopted by the Authority to take effect on and from 1st January 1983.

There was an equality of votes on both the amendment and the substantive proposal: neither was therefore carried.

It was thereupon

RESOLVED:

- (1) That subject to the approval of the Policy and Resources Committee the four tier rod and line fishing licence structure comprising separate licences for salmon; migratory trout; non-migratory trout and freshwater fish and eels be adopted by the Authority to take effect on and from 1st January 1983.
- (2) That further consideration of licence duties be deferred to a special meeting of this Committee to take place at 2.15 p.m. on 14th December 1981, at Dawson House. In the interim the advice of the Policy and Resources Committee be sought on this matter.
- (3) That recommendation A of the Northern Area Committee be disapproved.
- (4) (i) That recommendation B(2) of the Central Area Committee be disapproved because the weekly close time for fishing for salmon and trout (other than with rod and line) in force in the River Lune by virtue of the River Lune Fishery Byelaws had been extended, to the detriment of the netsmen.

(ii) That the officers investigate and report on recommendation B(3) of the Central Area Committee.
- (5) That recommendations C(1) and (2) of the Southern Area Committee be approved.

27. COMMERICAL EEL TRAPPING ON LAKE WINDERMERE

Further to minute no. 20(A)(3) of the last meeting and in accordance with instructions from the Policy and Resources Committee, the Committee received a detailed report on regulation, costs and effects on fisheries likely to result should the application by a professional eel trapper to fish with fyke nets for eels in Lake Windermere be granted.

The Committee was informed that since the report had been compiled, the applicant had been reported for alleged fishing offences including the use of fyke nets for which prosecutions were pending.

RECOMMENDED:

That no further action be taken on the application.

28. FISH TRAP ON ST. JOHN'S BECK, NEAR KESWICK, CUMBRIA

The Committee noted the Authority's intention to make formal application to MAFF to renew the existing approval to work a fish trap on St. John's Beck, near Keswick, Cumbria, for a further five years.

29. DRAFT NET LICENCES - RIVERS DERWENT AND ELLEN

It was noted that the Authority had approved the recommendation of the Policy and Resources Committee that a decision on fixing duties for the use of draft nets in the estuaries of the Rivers Derwent and Ellen be deferred pending the Minister's decision on the proposed new Fishery Byelaws.

30. OPTIONS AVAILABLE TO IMPROVE ACCESS FOR UNEMPLOYED PERSONS TO RECREATIONAL FACILITIES

Consideration was given to a recommendation of the Recreation Sub-Committee that half price mid-week coarse fishing permits be made available at Worthington and Rivington for purchase by unemployed persons with rod licences on production of their unemployment card.

It was felt that should this concession be granted only persons living nearby would be able to take advantage of it. Those living further afield could create demands for equivalent or other concessions which the Authority would be unable to grant.

RECOMMENDED:

That no further action be taken on this matter.

NORTH WEST WATER AUTHORITYREGIONAL FISHERIES ADVISORY COMMITTEE9TH NOVEMBER 1981RESTRUCTURING OF ROD AND LINE FISHING LICENCE DUTIES

1. The report which follows was submitted to the three area committees at the October round of meetings. The recommendations of these committees are contained in their respective minutes, but for the convenience of members a summary of these recommendations is given below:-

A. Recommendation of Northern Area Committee

"That the present three tier rod and line fishing licence structure, incorporating the part season salmon licence, be retained and that the Authority continue to apply, as at present, annual inflation increases to all existing rod and line fishing licence duties."

B. Recommendations of Central Area Committee

"(1) That the cost of anti-poaching work be excluded from the fisheries budget and that subject thereto the four tier licence structure (option 1) be adopted by the Authority to take effect from 1st January 1983.

(2) That should the Authority seek to renew the present River Lune Fishery Byelaws (due to expire on 1st April 1983) then because of the extended close season for fishing for salmon with rod and line extant in the River Lune by virtue of those byelaws, the Authority create a special River Lune rod and line salmon licence at a discount of 25% of the normal full licence cost then in force within the Authority area, to be available annually for the full period of retention of the said byelaws.

(3) That in order to reduce the costs incurred by the Authority in printing and issuing fishing licences, the following procedures be investigated: blank, standard fishing licences together with self adhesive stamps indicating the type of licence and cost be printed and issued to distributors who on payment of the requisite fee by a purchaser would affix the appropriate stamp to a blank licence."

C. Recommendations of Southern Area Committee

"(1) That the Authority adopt the proposed four tier licence structure comprising separate licences for salmon; migratory trout; non-migratory trout; freshwater fish and eels.

(2) That following the new fisheries committee structure approved by the Authority on 13th October 1980, whereby meetings of area committees take place twice yearly, the membership of any area committee member be reviewed on his failure to attend three consecutive meetings."

(It should be noted that (2) above arose because only five members were present.)

2. The effect of accepting the Central Advisory Committee's recommendation would be to alter the ratios produced by the previous analysis of activities and the way in which the expected income of £430,000 is shared by the different classes of anglers. These effects are shown below:-

	<u>Original Analysis</u>		<u>Revised Analysis</u>	
		£'000	(excluding anti-poaching)	£'000
Migratory Fish	51.2%	220	36.5%	157
Non-Migratory Trout	22.0%	95	28.5%	123
Coarse Fish	26.8%	115	35.0%	150
		<u>430</u>		<u>430</u>

The unit prices of season licences would then become:-

Salmon	£25.50
Migratory Trout	£ 8.50
Non-Migratory Trout	£ 4.70
Coarse Fish	£ 3.45

The Committee is now requested to make its own recommendations on this matter.

3. At the meeting held on 1st April the Central Area Advisory Committee requested details of other water authorities licence structures, the amount of expenditure which is transferred from Fisheries account to be recovered from the Environmental Service Charge, and the revenue from the sale of freshwater fish licences in 1979 compared with the income from the combined freshwater fish and brown trout licence in 1980. These details are to be found in Appendices I and II.
4. At the 13th July meeting the Regional Committee was reminded that a former resolution provided that in any future restructuring prime consideration be given to the introduction of a single tier rod and line whole area licence but the committee resolved that this report be based on the following guidelines:-
 1. a four tier structure comprising separate licences for salmon, migratory trout, non migratory trout, freshwater fish and eels;
 2. a three tier structure, comprising separate licences for salmon and migratory trout, non migratory trout, freshwater fish and eels;
 3. a three tier structure comprising separate licences for salmon, migratory trout and non migratory trout, freshwater fish and eels;
 4. that the part season salmon licence be excluded from the structures;
 5. that the nil duty licence for juveniles aged 10-13 years inclusive be excluded from the structures.

5. To assist in this restructuring exercise the Fisheries Department has prepared an analysis of their activities to show how their time and resources are deployed with the following results:-

Migratory fisheries	51.2%
Non migratory trout	22.0%
Coarse fisheries	26.8%

The detailed analysis is shown in Appendix III

6. No new licence structure can operate before 1st January 1983 therefore the full impact will not be felt until the financial year 1983-84. When the Policy and Resources Committee agreed to the structure review they made the proviso that the level of contribution towards working expenses should at least be maintained. It is estimated that the income from rod and line licence duties to obtain such a contribution in 1983-84 should be £430,000 being 47.2% of the total estimated direct costs of fisheries. The direct costs are those costs directly controlled by the Regional Fisheries Officer.
7. When this amount is apportioned in accordance with the Fishery Department's time and resources analysis the result is:-

£'000

51.2% to be met from migratory fish licences	=	220
22.0% to be met from non migratory fish licences	=	95
26.8% to be met from freshwater fish licences	=	115

and the appropriate unit prices per licence, expressed in terms of a full season licence, are as follows:-

1982 Unit Prices (including 10% applied for)		Estimated Sales (in terms of Full Season)	4 Tier	3 Tier	3 Tier
£p		No	£p	£p	£p
19.80	Salmon	5,400	36.00)		36.00
)	28.90	
6.60	Migratory Trout	2,200	12.00))	
)	4.30
	(Non Migratory)	
	(Trout	26,100	3.60	3.60)	
3.90	(
	(Freshwater Fish				
	(and Eels	43,400	2.60	2.60	2.60

To facilitate presentation the estimated number of licences to be sold has been based on the assumption that concessionary licences for juniors and pensioners and seven day licences will be fixed in the same ratio to a full season licence as at present e.g. juniors and pensioners at 50% of the full season licence and the seven day salmon licence at 1/6 of the full season duty. If these ratios were increased it would have the effect of reducing the full season licence duty.

8. In the past when restructuring of licence duties was under discussion there has been considerable argument about what costs the Authority should bear and what licence income should cover. In this exercise direct costs only are under consideration and administrative overheads, financing charges etc. have been left out of account. This is in accordance with the requirement of the Policy and Resources Committee that the contribution from licence income towards operating costs should be at the same level as at present. That contribution is estimated at £430,000 in 1983-84 and the above unit licence duties are set at a level to produce that income being only 47.2% of direct costs. There can therefore be no argument about licence income contributing to some activities to which it should not contribute. Any suggestion to reduce any of the above unit licence duties could only be met by a commensurate increase in the other licence duties in order to achieve the overall target income of £430,000. This is the first time that income from the various types of licences has been related to the manner in which fisheries resources are deployed. It is a firm basis which can be justified to all classes of anglers.
9. In 1979, the year before the last restructuring, there was a combined salmon and migratory trout licence. There was considerable objection to this which resulted in separate licences being proposed and included in the new structure which came into operation on 1st January 1980. As a result the number of licences sold increased and there was a consequent increase in revenue as the following figures show:-

	1979			1980		
	Price	No.	Amount	Price	No.	Amount
	£p		£	£p		£
Salmon - season	15.60	1723	26,957	15.00	1862	27,930
Salmon to 31st May	7.80	25	195			
Salmon from 1st June	9.00	3040	27,360	10.00	2673	26,730
Salmon season - reduced duty	6.50	686	4,459	7.50	644	4,830
Salmon to 31st May - reduced duty	3.25	7	23			
Salmon from 1st June - reduced duty	4.00	583	2,332	5.00	571	2,855
Salmon 7 day	2.60	3174	5,652	2.50	2013	5,032
Migratory trout - season				5.00	1867	9,335
Migratory trout - reduced duty				2.50	305	763
Migratory trout - seven day				1.00	956	956
		<u>9238</u>	<u>66,978</u>		<u>10891</u>	<u>78,431</u>

It would be a retrograde step to introduce a combined salmon and migratory trout licence.

10. If there was a combined migratory trout and brown trout licence the migratory trout angler would be paying a lesser amount than under the separate licence proposals and the brown trout anglers would be paying more. This would be contrary to the basic principle that the total licence revenue should be equitably shared by the various classes of anglers by reference to the way in which the fisheries resources are deployed.
11. This basic principle is a fair and rational basis which can be justified to all classes of anglers. It would be totally unjustifiable to seek a greater or lesser contribution from any one particular class of angler. For this reason and the ones outlined above it is recommended that the revised structure should be a four tier structure comprising separate licences for salmon, migratory trout, non migratory trout, freshwater fish and eels.

1. SUMMARY OF ROD LICENCE STRUCTURES IN OTHER COMPARABLE WATER AUTHORITIES

<u>South West</u>	Three Tier	
	1. Salmon and migratory trout	
	2. Non-migratory trout	
	3. Freshwater fish and eels	
<u>Northumbria</u>	Three Tier	
	1. Salmon and migratory trout	
	2. Non-migratory trout	
	3. Freshwater fish and eels	
<u>Wales</u>	Three Tier	
	1. Salmon and migratory trout	
	2. Non migratory trout	
	3. Freshwater fish and eels	
<u>Wessex</u>	Three Tier	
	1. Salmon	
	2. Trout (including migratory)	
	3. Freshwater fish and eels	
<u>Southern</u>	Three Tier	
	1. Salmon	
	2. Trout (including migratory)	
	3. Freshwater fish and eels	
<u>Severn Trent</u>	Two Tier	(Proposals for 1982-83)
	1. Salmon and migratory trout	
	2. Non-migratory trout, freshwater fish and eels	
<u>Yorkshire</u>	Two Tier	(Proposals for 1982-83)
	1. Salmon and migratory trout	
	2. Non-migratory trout, freshwater fish and eels	

2. FISHERY EXPENDITURE CHARGED TO ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES CHARGE (1981-82 Revised Estimate)

		£'000
Fisheries Gross Expenditure		1,351
<u>Less</u> Licence Income - Rod and Line	344	
Nets	10	
Other Income	<u>8</u>	<u>362</u>
Balance charged to ESC		<u>989</u>

LICENCE SALES 1979 AND 1980

1. To make the figures comparable, the 1979 figures include the sales of non-migratory trout licences.

<u>2. 1979</u>	<u>Licence Duty</u> £p	<u>No. Sold</u>	<u>Value</u> £p
<u>Non-Migratory Trout</u>			
Full year	2.60	23,878	62,082.80
Reduced duty	1.25	4,382	5,477.50
Seven day	0.65	13,245	8,609.25
		<u>41,505</u>	<u>76,169.55</u>
<u>Freshwater Fish and Eels</u>			
Full year	1.25	29,840	37,300.00
Reduced duty	0.65	5,937	3,859.05
Seven day	0.35	3,979	1,392.65
<u>Mersey and Weaver Area</u>			
Full year	0.65	11,961	7,774.65
Reduced duty	0.35	3,294	1,152.90
		<u>55,011</u>	<u>51,479.25</u>
		<u>96,516</u>	<u>127,648.80</u>
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<u>1980</u>			
<u>Non-Migratory Trout & Freshwater Fish</u>			
Full year	3.00	57,459	172,377.00
Reduced duty	1.50	12,740	19,110.00
Seven day	0.50	18,944	9,472.00
		<u>89,143</u>	<u>200,959.00</u>
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DIRECT COSTS OF FISHERIES - 1981-2 ESTIMATES

1. <u>Subjective Analysis</u>		2. <u>Activity Analysis</u>	Mig. Fish	Non Mig. Fish	Coarse Fish	Total	
	£		£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	%
Employees:							
Salaries	471,292						
Wages	3,625	1. Patrols, licence					
Other	9,830	checks & enforcement	51	74	68	193	27
		2. Anti-poaching	168	1	-	169	23
Running Costs:		3. Propagation	85	38	10	133	18
Electricity	4,042	4. Coarse fish -					
Other power	101	removal & transfer	-	-	46	46	6
Rents	1,370	5. Fish surveys	20	17	37	74	10
Rates	1,295	6. Advice to clubs	2	6	8	16	2
SESC	20	7. Offences and other					
Chemicals	12,575	reports	23	11	14	48	6
Materials	6,880	8. Fish mortalities and					
Hired & Contracted Services	920	pollution	6	7	8	21	3
Transport and Plant		9. Stocking consents	-	6	5	11	2
Own Vehicles and Plant	32,186	10. Fish counters	18	-	-	18	3
Car allowances	87,345		<u>373</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>196</u>	<u>729</u>	<u>100</u>
Telephones	150						
Travel subsistence	11,563	% of Total Cost	51.2	22	26.8		100
Other	32,185		====	===	=====		===
Inflation Provision	54,000						
	<u>729,379</u>						
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MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE
REGIONAL FISHERIES ADVISORY COMMITTEE

14TH DECEMBER 1981

Present: T. A. F. Barnes, Esq., (Chairman)
 A. G. R. Brown, Esq. R. D. Houghton, Esq.
 E. P. Ecroyd, Esq. G. E. Lowe, Esq.,
 Major J. G. W. Skipwith

31. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence from the meeting were received from Mr. J.S. Bailey, Mr. W.S. Bell, Mr. F. Bunting, Mr. J.M. Croft, Mr. T.M. Farrer, Mr. J.H. Fell, Mr. J. Johnson, Mr. I. Jones, Mr. G. Mann, Mr. Wm. McKenna, Mr. J.E. Redhead and Mr. G. Wilson.

32. MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING

RESOLVED:

That the minutes of the last meeting of the Committee held on 9th November 1981, be approved as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.

33. RESTRUCTURING OF ROD AND LINE FISHING LICENCE DUTIES

On 9th November 1981, the Committee had resolved, inter alia, that the advice of the Policy and Resources Committee be sought on the restructuring of the rod and line fishing licence duties and on 30th November that Committee had made the following recommendations which had been approved by the Authority this day.

(1) That the Regional Fisheries Advisory Committee's recommendation for a four-tier rod and line fishing licence structure to take effect on and from 1st January 1983, comprising separate licences for salmon; migratory trout; non-migratory trout; and freshwater fish and eels, be approved.

(2) That a target total income from rod and line fishing licences be determined for 1983-84 and thereafter; and that that total income figure be borne by the various angling interests according to the way in which fisheries resources are deployed, after excluding 50% of the cost of anti-poaching and 15% of the remaining costs of migratory fisheries to reflect the benefit derived by netmen.

(3) That to implement this policy, on and from 1st January 1983 seasonal licence duties for migratory fisheries be based on £27 (i.e. £27 for salmon and £9 for migratory trout), for brown trout £4, and coarse fish £3, with a view to recovering £399,000 as the target total income in 1983-84.

(4) That the views of the coarse fish anglers be obtained on the provision in 1983-84 of cash grants for approved fishery improvement schemes and the free loan of equipment, and their willingness to pay for that provision by an appropriate increase in the licence duty.

(5) That having regard to the above proposals for income from rod and line licences, further consideration be given to the appropriate proportion of fisheries operating costs which should be met by net licence duties and to discussions with the Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food about such duties.

(6) That the Regional Fisheries Advisory Committee be informed accordingly and further, be asked to consider the possibility of an approach to police authorities seeking contributions to the expenditure incurred by the Authority on anti-poaching activities.

Copies of these recommendations together with a report thereon had been sent to all Members of Area Committees on 8th December 1981, (the date the meeting agenda was despatched) seeking their views on the proposals, and the Committee was apprised of the nature of all replies.

Consideration was also given to a supplemental paper including a schedule of proposed licence duties (attached hereto as an Appendix) derived from the seasonal licence duties, as approved by the Authority, which were in accordance with previous decisions of the Committee.

Concern was expressed at the sharp contrast between the cost of the proposed salmon only and the migratory trout only rod and line licence. It was felt that this could be reviewed once the effect of the new duties could be truly assessed.

RESOLVED:

That recommendations (1) to (6) of the meeting of the Policy and Resources Committee on 30th November 1981 as approved by the Authority this day, concerning restructuring of rod and line fishing licence duties be noted.

RECOMMENDED:

(1) That without prejudice to the agreed establishment of a four tier rod and line fishing licence structure, the cost differential between the salmon only and the migratory trout only licence duties be reviewed once the effect of the new duties on the sales of such licences is known and in any case not later than two years from the agreed date for commencement of the new duties, 1st January 1983.

(2) That the proposed duties for the season concessionary and the seven day fishing licences for salmon and for migratory trout, set out in paragraph 1(1) and (2) of the Appendix to these minutes be approved, viz:

(1) Salmon

Season concessionary	£13.50
Seven day	£4.50

(2) Migratory Trout

Seasonal concessionary	£4.50
Seven day	£1.50

(3) That because as indicated in paragraph 3 of the Appendix, a 10p commission, plus 2% of sales value is paid to licence dealers for each licence sold, a minimum duty of £1 should apply to all fishing licence duties.

(4) That having regard to (3) above, the proposed duty in respect of the season concessionary licence for non-migratory trout (brown trout, rainbow trout and char) set out in paragraph 1(4) of the Appendix to these minutes be approved but that the duty in respect of the seven day licence for such fish be increased to £1, viz:

(4) Non-migratory trout (brown trout, rainbow trout and char)

Season concessionary	£2.00
Seven day	£1.00

(5) That a special joint meeting of the Central and Southern Area Committees be convened at 2.30 p.m. on Monday, 18th January 1982, at West Cliff, Preston, to obtain the views of the coarse fish anglers on the provision in 1983-84 of cash grants for approved fishery improvement schemes and the free loan of equipment, and their willingness to pay for that provision by an appropriate increase in the licence duty for freshwater fish and eels as set out in paragraphs 1(5) and 2 of the Appendix to these minutes (the duty for seven day licences in this category being a minimum of £1 in any event in view of recommendation (3) above) and that their recommendations on this matter be reported to the next meeting of this Committee.

(6) That the Fishery Advisory Committee of the National Water Council be asked to consider the possibility of an approach being made to police authorities seeking contributions to the expenditure incurred by water authorities on anti-poaching activities.

NORTH WEST WATER AUTHORITYREGIONAL FISHERIES ADVISORY COMMITTEE14TH DECEMBER 1981RESTRUCTURING OF ROD AND LINE FISHING LICENCE DUTIES

1. The following schedule lists the proposed licence duties on and from 1st January 1983, derived from the seasonal licence duties as agreed by the Authority at today's meeting and in accordance with the previous decisions of this Committee.

	<u>Duty as at</u> <u>1st January 1982</u> £. p.	<u>Duty on & from</u> <u>1st January 1983</u> £. p.
<u>Single Rod and Line</u>		
(1) Salmon		
Season	19.80	27.00
Part season from June 1st	13.20	-
Season concessionary	9.90	13.50
Part season concessionary from June 1st	6.60	-
Seven day	3.30	4.50
(2) Migratory Trout		
Season	6.60	9.00
Season concessionary	3.30	4.50
Seven day	1.30	1.50
(3) Non-migratory Trout (brown trout, rainbow trout and char) freshwater fish and eels.		
Season	3.90	-
Season concessionary	1.90	-
Seven day	0.70	-
(4) Non-migratory trout (brown trout, rainbow trout and char)		
Season	-	4.00
Season concessionary	-	2.00
Seven day	-	0.70 *
(5) Freshwater fish and eels		
Season	-	3.00
Season concessionary	-	1.50
Seven day	-	0.50

Concessionary licences are issued to juveniles (14-16 years), state retirement pensioners and registered disabled persons.

2. If the offer extended to coarse anglers, regarding cash grants and loan of equipment is accepted, the licence duties in (5) above become:-

Season	3.20 *
Season concessionary	1.60
Seven day	0.50 *

* Rounded to nearest 10p.

3. The Committee is asked to consider whether, in view of the fact that a 10p commission plus 2% of sales value is paid to licence dealers for each licence sold, a minimum duty of £1 should apply to the seven day licence duties for non migratory trout and freshwater fish and eels.

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE
REGIONAL FISHERIES ADVISORY COMMITTEE

1ST FEBRUARY 1982

Present: T. A. F. Barnes, Esq. (Chairman)
 J. S. Bailey, Esq. J. E. Gouldbourn, Esq.
 W. S. Bell, Esq. R. D. Houghton, Esq.
 F. Bunting, Esq. J. Johnson, Esq.
 H. Caunce, Esq. I. Jones, Esq.
 J. M. Croft, Esq. J. E. Redhead, Esq.
 E. P. Ecroyd, Esq. Major J. G. W. Skipwith,
 J. H. Fell, Esq. G. Wilson, Esq.

34. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence from the meeting were received from Mr. A.G.R. Brown, Mr. G.E. Lowe, Mr. G. Mann and Mr. Wm. McKenna.

35. MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING

RESOLVED:

That the minutes of the last meeting of the Committee held on 14th December 1981, be approved as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.

36. MINUTES OF JOINT MEETING OF THE CENTRAL AND SOUTHERN
AREAS FISHERIES ADVISORY COMMITTEES.

RESOLVED:

(1) That with the exception of minute no.3 the minutes of the joint meeting of the Central and Southern Areas Advisory Committees held on 18th January 1982, be approved.

(2) That the recommendations contained in minute no.3 (Restructuring of Rod and Line Fishing Licence Duties) be considered under the appropriate Agenda item.

37. RESTRUCTURING OF ROD AND LINE FISHING LICENCE DUTIES

On 14th December 1981, the Committee had resolved, inter alia, that a paper containing proposals in connection with the introduction of a Fishery Improvement Grant Scheme and a Fishery Equipment Loan Scheme be submitted to a joint meeting of the Central and Southern Areas Advisory Committees. That paper is attached as an Appendix to these minutes.

On 18th January 1982, (minute no.3) the joint meeting considered the proposals and made the following recommendations which the Committee was invited to approve:

"(1) That the Fishery Improvement Grant Scheme and the Fishery Equipment Loan Scheme (as detailed in the Appendix to these minutes) be approved.

- (2) That having regard to (1) above, the proposed duty in respect of the full and concessionary season licences for freshwater fish and eels be increased by 20p and 10p respectively on and from 1st January 1983, viz:

Freshwater fish and eels

Season	£3.20
Season concessionary	£1.60

- (3) That subject to the approval of (1) and (2) above by the Regional Committee and by the Authority, the officers prepare a detailed paper on both schemes for submission to the three Area Committees at their meetings in March/April 1982."

It was agreed that once the schemes had been finalised they should be fully publicised amongst the coarse angling bodies; Mr. Johnson agreeing to liaise between the Authority and the National Federation of Anglers in this respect.

Discussion took place upon the feasibility of the Authority liaising with Local Authorities within the region with a view to such Authorities providing additional waters which could be used for angling.

RESOLVED:

That the officers carry out a feasibility study of co-operative development of angling by the Authority and District Councils and their findings be reported to the Area Advisory Committees for comment prior to submission to this Committee.

RECOMMENDED:

(1) That recommendations (1) to (3) of minute no.3 of the joint meeting of the Central and Southern Areas Fisheries Advisory Committees (as detailed above) be approved.

(2) That the Policy and Resources Committee be invited to approve the proposals to increase the rod and line fishing licence duties, in accordance with recommendation (1) above and with previous decisions of the Committee, as set out below, to come into force throughout the region on and from 1st January 1983:

PROPOSED ROD AND LINE FISHING LICENCE DUTIES
ON AND FROM 1ST JANUARY 1983

Duty on and from
1st January 1983
£.p.

Single Rod and Line

(1) Salmon

Season	27.00
Season concessionary	13.50
Seven day	4.50

(2) Migratory Trout

Season	9.00
Season concessionary	4.50
Seven day	1.50

(3) Non-migratory trout (brown trout,
rainbow trout and char)

Season	4.00
Season concessionary	2.00
Seven day	1.00

(4) Freshwater fish and eels

Season	3.20
Season concessionary	1.60
Seven day	1.00

Concessionary licences are issued to juveniles (14-16 years), state retirement pensioners and registered disabled persons.

(3) That subject to the approval of recommendations (1) and (2) above by the Policy and Resources Committee, the Secretary and Solicitor be authorised:

- (a) to publish a notice of the Authority's intention to fix these fishing licence duties in appropriate newspapers, as required by para. 3 of Schedule 2 to the Salmon and Freshwater Fisheries Act 1975;
- (b) to take all such steps as may be necessary, including representation at a public inquiry, in the event of objections to the proposals being received by the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food.

38. FISHERIES INCOME AND EXPENDITURE

The Chairman referred to the fact that on 13th September 1977 (minute no. 63) the Finance and Personnel Sub-Committee had considered a report of an officers working party on the relationship between fisheries income and expenditure and had recommended, inter alia:

- "(1) That expenditure on fisheries account be contained for the immediate future by imposing a cash limit on expenditure, related to the £658,000 working expenses of the Rivers Division for 1977-78, plus an adjustment for future inflation."

The recommendation was approved by the Authority on 10th October 1977.

The Chairman expressed the view that in the past there had been no logical basis for the licence duties charged. Now, following a thorough assessment of how the resources of the Fisheries Department were deployed, the licence structure had been drastically revised so that types of fishery where more resources were deployed should expect to produce correspondingly more licence revenue than where less resources were deployed. The proposed structure now had a logical basis which could be supported by facts and figures.

He felt it was wrong that fisheries had been singled out for discriminatory treatment in the way of a frozen budget, and that in view of the agreed licence restructure as well as already increased licence revenue, the arbitrary freeze should be removed by formal resolution. There were in any case plenty of other constraints in force.

After full discussion the Committee

RECOMMENDED:

That the present "freeze" on the Fisheries revenue budget be rescinded by the Authority.

39. ANGLING AT STOCKS RESERVOIR

The Chairman reported that investigations were still being carried out into the possible promotion of a trout fishery at the reservoir by the private sector.

40. FISHING LICENCE DISTRIBUTORS

In response to questions concerning the appointment of agents to sell fishing licences on behalf of the Authority, the Regional Fisheries Officer undertook to investigate and clarify appointment procedures.

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NORTH WEST WATER AUTHORITYNORTHERN AREA
FISHERIES ADVISORY COMMITTEE29TH MARCH 1982MEMBERSHIP OF THE COMMITTEE

1. APPOINTMENT OF MR. A. MOFFAT

On 12th October 1981, (minute no. 11) the Committee invited the Regional Committee to confirm the appointment of Mr. A. Moffat of 15 Princess Avenue, Workington, to the Committee.

On 9th November 1981, (minute no. 25(A)(1)) the Regional Committee approved the appointment.

2. RESIGNATION OF MR. P. F. MURRAY

Mr. P. F. Murray of Millom who has served on the Committee since the inaugural meeting in January 1981 has submitted his resignation. He served as the representative of Millom Anglers and the Committee is invited to nominate his successor.

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NORTH WEST WATER AUTHORITYNORTHERN AREA
FISHERIES ADVISORY COMMITTEE29TH MARCH 1982WEST CUMBRIA WATER RESOURCES

1. Attached for the Committee's information is a copy of a report on the implications of the Secretary of State's decision to reject the Authority's proposals for Ennerdale and the proposals of British Nuclear Fuels Limited for Wastwater, together with a copy of the decision letter, which were considered by the Policy and Resources and the Water Management Committees at their last meetings.
2. As the report states under the heading "The Next Steps", the preparation of revised proposals is already underway and meetings with the various local authorities including the Lake District Special Planning Board have either taken place or are to be arranged. As any alternative water supply scheme must of necessity be in the Committee's area, the officers are anxious to keep Members fully informed of developments. It is suggested therefore that Members may wish to appoint a small advisory sub-committee consisting of the Chairmen of the Committee and the Regional Committee, together with two or three other Members with knowledge of the fishing of West Cumbria who the officers could consult as the preparation of the revised proposals proceeds. The sub-committee would be the channel for consultation between the officers and the representatives of fishery interests.

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE
WATER MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

22ND FEBRUARY 1982

Present:

J. A. Foster, Esq., (Chairman)
T. A. F. Barnes, Esq. D. H. C. McAuslan, Esq.
O. Coyles, Esq. B. McCormick, Esq.
J. E. Gouldbourn, Esq. (for Dr. H. Hodge)
H. Hammersley, Esq. J. E. Redhead, Esq.
J. E. Hilton, Esq. A. Richardson, Esq.
J. T. Humphreys, Esq. J. B. Robinson, Esq.
I. Jones, Esq. B. M. Rothwell, Esq.
G. E. Lowe, Esq. Major J. G. W. Skipwith
G. Mann, Esq. A. G. Thompson, Esq.
M. Wareing Esq.

57. WEST CUMBRIA WATER RESOURCES

Several Members expressed disappointment that, following the public inquiry into proposals by the Authority and British Nuclear Fuels Limited to abstract water from Ennerdale and Wastwater, the Secretary of State for the Environment had rejected the proposals on environmental grounds and had suggested alternative schemes to meet the requirements. Members suggested that the environmental damage resulting from the alternative schemes would be greater in certain respects than the Ennerdale proposals.

The necessary re-appraisal was underway and meetings with some interested parties had already taken place. Further reports would be presented to the Committee as preparation of revised proposals progressed.

NORTH WEST WATER AUTHORITY
POLICY AND RESOURCES COMMITTEE

1ST MARCH 1982

WEST CUMBRIA WATER RESOURCES

Background

1. In December 1977, the Authority resolved to promote a scheme to raise the level of Ennerdale Water, the Authority's principal source of supply for the Whitehaven area. The purpose was to make additional supplies available to meet anticipated increases in public water demand, and to satisfy the increasing requirements of British Nuclear Fuels Limited (BNFL).
2. The scheme promoted by the Authority involved the construction of the following works at Ennerdale and in the Whitehaven area:
 - (a) a new weir incorporating a fish pass and embankment to raise the level of Ennerdale Water by 1.2m (4 ft);
 - (b) a new intake chamber and draw off pipe;
 - (c) a new raw water pipeline and treatment works;
 - (d) landscaping, land drainage and accommodation works;
 - (e) various pipelines, pumping stations and other works to reinforce the supply system.
3. The increased quantity for public water supply was to be taken by direct gravity pipeline from Ennerdale, and the additional supplies for BNFL were to be made available for abstraction by them from the River Ehen which would be augmented by releases from Ennerdale. The Authority's applications for licences and other authorisations were made in October 1978.
4. In April 1979 BNFL applied to the Authority for additional abstraction from and for impounding at Wastwater. As the Authority's own Ennerdale proposals included provision for meeting BNFL's requirements, the Authority requested the Secretary of State for the Environment to call in these applications, which he did. The proposals would have involved raising the level of Wastwater by up to 1m or substantially increasing drawdown, or some combination of the two.
5. The Secretary of State decided that a joint public inquiry into both the Authority's and BNFL's proposals should be held. This opened at Whitehaven on 15th January 1980, and ended on 9th May. The Inquiry was in session for 57 working days.
6. Shortly before the Inquiry, the Authority made it known that they would be prepared to pursue the idea of a direct pipeline from a raised Ennerdale to Windscale for BNFL's top quality water needs, with the Company's lower quality water requirements being met by

abstraction from the River Ehen, in accordance with the original proposal (ref. para 3, above). During the course of the Inquiry, and following discussions with BNFL, the Authority put forward a modified proposal along these lines, and made formal application to the Secretary of State for the necessary licensing authorisations. The modified proposal known as "Ennerdale 2" then became the Authority's principal promotion and was considered at the Inquiry. BNFL's reaction to the modified proposal was that it would satisfactorily meet their short-term requirements, but only as a second choice to their own Wastwater proposal.

Decision of the Secretary of State

7. The decision of the Secretary of State was announced in the House of Commons on 22nd December 1981 and the Authority was notified by letter on that same day. A copy of the decision letter is appended to this report. The letter was accompanied by a copy of the Inquiry Inspector's report which extends to some 600 pages.
8. As will be seen, the Secretary of State has rejected the proposals put forward by both the Authority and BNFL. The rejections are stated to be on environmental grounds, related to the locations of Wastwater and Ennerdale in "particularly sensitive" and "very special" parts of the Lake District National Park.
9. The Secretary of State expresses the view that another scheme, suggested during the Inquiry by the Lake District Special Planning Board, and referred to as the "Derwent 8" scheme, merits serious consideration as a possible alternative. This would involve the transfer of part of the Ennerdale supply to BNFL, with the resulting deficit in public water supplies met by the development of works for the abstraction of water from the River Derwent near Workington, outside the National Park. The Secretary of State acknowledged that a scheme such as "Derwent 8" would be substantially more costly than Ennerdale 2, but he expressed the view that the additional cost would be justified on environmental grounds, as such a solution "would give rise to much less objection than any further raising of Ennerdale".
10. It should be noted that the Authority's decision in 1977 to promote a scheme for the raising of Ennerdale in preference to an abstraction from the River Derwent was taken following a detailed environmental appraisal and full consultations, and with the benefit of expert advice on the impact of the proposals on the appearance of the Lake. It was then judged that the disadvantages in environmental terms, which were well understood, would not justify the Authority incurring the substantially higher capital and running costs of the Derwent alternative. In the light of the Secretary of State's decision, it is clear that careful consideration of a Derwent alternative is now called for.
11. Other important points in the Secretary of State's letter are:
 - (a) The scope for further development of local groundwater should be more fully explored.
 - (b) BNFL's top quality water requirements can only realistically be met by abstractions from Ennerdale or Wastwater.

- (c) The Authority should review the scope for re-distribution of supplies from existing and new sources. In particular they should consider to what extent top quality water from Ennerdale, at present used for public supplies, could instead be used to meet BNFL's increased requirements.
 - (d) The Authority should have due regard to the need to reduce wastage in the public supply system, and take all practicable measures to conserve supplies.
 - (e) The size of any scheme put forward should be justified by evidence of need.
 - (f) In the short term, BNFL's additional requirement for top quality water can only be met by a temporary increase in their abstraction from Wastwater.
12. The Secretary of State concludes that, after the whole situation has been re-appraised, "it would be for NWWA , in conjunction with BNFL, to decide whether to promote a new scheme outside the National Park, and if so, what size it should be".

The Next Steps

13. The necessary re-appraisal of the situation is already underway. A top-level meeting with BNFL has taken place, and correspondence has been exchanged with Cumbria County Council. Discussions with other interested parties, including the Lake District Special Planning Board and the Copeland and Allerdale District Councils, are to be arranged.
14. Two short-term implications of the Secretary of State's decision are already clear. First, until a scheme is implemented to make additional supplies available to the area, it will continue to be necessary, during periods of prolonged dry weather, to install emergency pumps at Ennerdale to maintain compensation flows to the River Ehen, and to maintain public water supplies. These are costly and cumbersome measures, but in the short term, with increasing demands on the system, are likely to be required more frequently. The second point relates to BNFL's short-term requirement for top quality water. The Secretary of State has accepted (para. 11(f), above) that this can only be met by a temporary increase of up to 11 Ml/d in the Company's abstraction from Wastwater. He makes the point that any application by them for a temporary licence should be viewed accordingly.
15. The Officers will be reporting back to Members as the preparation of revised proposals proceeds. This report has also been submitted to the Water Management Committee.



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COMMONS ACT 1899
ACQUISITION OF LAND (AUTHORISATION PROCEDURE) ACT 1946
WATER RESOURCES ACTS 1963-1971
COMPULSORY PURCHASE ACT 1965
TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1971
ENNERDALE WATER AND WASTWATER
PROVISION OF ADDITIONAL WATER RESOURCES

1. I am directed by the Secretary of State for the Environment to say that consideration has been given to the report of the Inspector, Mr D H Komlosy BSc FRTP I ARICS, who held a local inquiry into:-

(a) applications by the North West Water Authority (NWWA) for:-

- i. an order to authorise the raising of the level of Ennerdale Water by the construction of a weir and ancillary works under section 67 of the Water Resources Act 1963 and section 36 of the Compulsory Purchase Act 1965;
 - ii. an order to authorise the discharge of water from Ennerdale into the River Ehen for the provision of compensation water under section 1 of the Water Resources Act 1971;
 - iii. a combined licence to impound and abstract water from Ennerdale and a temporary variation of the Authority's existing licence No. 27/74C/3/S/8 to abstract from the lake;
 - iv. a licence to abstract from Ennerdale 38,060 megalitres per year for public water supply and 3,500 megalitres per year for the maintenance and augmentation of flows in the River Ehen (Ennerdale 2 scheme - see paragraph 2 below);
 - v. consent under section 22 of the Commons Act 1899 to the grant and inclosure of about 2.46 hectares of Watering Beck Common;
 - vi. a certificate under paragraph 11(1)(a) of Schedule 1 to the Acquisition of Land (Authorisation Procedure) Act 1946 in respect of the land to be given in exchange for the common land;
- (b) an appeal by NWWA under section 36 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1971 against the decision of the Lake District Special Planning Board to refuse to grant planning permission for the construction of a weir with a crest height of 113.53 metres AOD across the River Ehen

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together with ancillary works;

(c) applications by British Nuclear Fuels Ltd (BNFL) for:-

- (i) an impounding licence to obstruct or impede the flow of Wastwater and a variation of their existing Wastwater licence No. 27/74C/7/L/11;
- (ii) an application for planning permission to construct a weir, intake facilities and associated underground pipeworks for the storage and abstraction of water from Wastwater.

The Secretary of State has directed in pursuance of section 38 of the Water Resources Act 1963 that the applications for licences described at (c)(i) above be referred to him for decision instead of being dealt with by the water authority and in pursuance of section 35 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1971 that the application for planning permission described at (c)(ii) above be referred to him for decision instead of being dealt with by the local planning authority. The applications for licences described at (a)(iii) and (iv) above were made in accordance with the provisions of Regulation 13(7) of the Water Resources (Licences) Regulations 1965.

2. During the course of the inquiry the NWWA submitted a modified Ennerdale Scheme (known as Ennerdale 2) in preference to their original proposals (Ennerdale 1). In the circumstances the Secretary of State has not found it necessary to consider Ennerdale 1 in detail.

3. The Inspector was assisted by Mr J L Milverton ACGI BSc(Eng) FICE MIWE as Engineering Assessor and Mr P H Garnett C Chem FRIC FIWPC FIWES as Chemical Assessor. Copies of the Inspector's and Assessors' reports are enclosed.

4. The Inspector's conclusions are set out in paragraphs 36.1 to 36.239 of his report. He summarised his conclusions as follows:-

"On environmental grounds it will already have been noted that I have arrived at the conclusion also that both Ennerdale 1 and 2 and the Wast Water Schemes are unacceptable. The reasons for this must now be summarised. Ennerdale lake was last the subject of "interference" long before the emergence of the environmental concern on a national scale, in fact as long ago as 1902. It is the environment that had gradually evolved from this time onward that this generation, and several before it has come to know and love, and whether "natural" or "unnatural" has been accepted for what it is. It is situated in a very special part of the Lake District National Park. I therefore consider the proposed works which have been stated as being required for raising the lake, not only involving substantial building, but remodelling a large part of the northerly shore, would be totally out of keeping with such a scene.

In fact I consider the construction works alone, although of a temporary nature, would have a considerable aftermath, and should rule out consideration of either of the schemes. Although not strictly within my purview, I am also alarmed at the proposed extent of the proposed "in-any-case" works.

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Turning to Wast Water, I accept that the objection here on environmental grounds is of a different order. It has been established that the Alternative 1, of the five alternatives put forward by BNFL, is the one that could be considered. I agree that on its own this drawdown scheme would only have a limited effect, although it is to be noted that the Water Authority have objected to it, and that from the environmental side there are grave misgivings as to the effect on the Boathouse Pool, on the flow of the River Irt, and the possible "rim" effect on the lake shore. I share those fears.

Looking at the history of the Lake, I think it should be noted that, but for the emergency during the late war, the present situation would not have arisen, and I am quite certain that if a proposal were to be considered at the present time to use a pristine Wast Water, it would be likely to be rejected out of hand.

As in the case of Ennerdale, Wast Water is in a particularly sensitive area within the National Park, and in my view must also be considered as a special case. The virtues of Wast Water, its unique quality, the fact that it is regarded by many as the most impressive of all the lakes, has been expressed better than I can by a number of objectors and others. I agree with all of them, and accept in principle that this lake should not be further exploited.

There is however another consideration which I think is most important. Several objectors have pointed out that Wast Water is at a point of equilibrium and is still largely behaving in a natural way. Any further abstraction would alter this, and therefore the condition of the lake is at an important threshold. I am impressed with these views and consider therefore that it would be wrong to withdraw even a reduced amount in addition to the present abstraction.

Finally, as already mentioned, whatever the legal view may be, I do not think it right to ignore that BNFL is an important on-going industrial concern, and the likelihood of future demands, beyond the 1990s, should not be ignored. BNFL has suggested that it is wrong to take this into consideration and that the present application must be taken on its own merits. This is tantamount to saying the matter should be taken in steps, even if the final result would be unacceptable.

There is another factor here that cuts diagonally across all that has been said so far, and which in itself contains an element which might render consideration of any of these proposals of no effect. All of the three schemes under consideration affect the interests of the National Trust. As indicated already, the final attitude of the Trust remains somewhat enigmatic, but it is fairly certain that if any of the proposals are accepted a lengthy Parliamentary procedure would have to be put in hand, the outcome of which is uncertain. This leads me to the conclusion that on these grounds alone it might be wise to seek a solution to these problems outside the National Park. In view of the possible legal implications here however, I am not putting forward this factor as a reason for refusal.

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I think something must be said about the urgency of finding a solution to this problem, in view of my recommendation to refuse all of the present schemes. BNFL is already in deficit, but not for R1 water, and if they can be temporarily accommodated their real need arises in 1986-7. This does not leave a great deal of time to carry out the comprehensive reappraisal of the water requirements of West Cumbria which may be needed. It has been shown that in the public water sector there is a small deficit which only arises to its maximum by the year 2001, so that it is BNFL's needs which primarily require attention. They have indicated subject to minor reservations, that either an Ennerdale 2 Scheme, or the Derwent Scheme 8 suggestion put forward by the Lake District Special Planning Board, would be acceptable to them.

During the course of consideration I have noted the arguments for and against the impact, from the ecological point of view, on plant and animal life, and particularly on fishing. In view of my conviction that these schemes should not go ahead on wider environmental grounds, I have not gone into a detailed consideration of these aspects. Nevertheless I appreciate the work that has been done in this field, and the sum total on balance must in my view reinforce the reasons for refusal.

Discussion has also taken place as to the interpretation of national and regional policy. It is already clearly established that special care must be taken in National Parks with regard to the development of water supplies. I am sure that this care must apply to all such development whether a lake is technically a reservoir or not, and whether the proposals under consideration are new or additional. In both cases I have pointed out that I consider the lakes are in my view in particularly beautiful parts of the National Park, and must be considered as needing special protection.

There is lastly the very difficult subject of costs. These were argued out at great length in making comparisons between the various schemes and suggestions. It will be noted that the difference of about £2m which is generally agreed between the principal parties regarding the difference in capital costs to the Water Authority when comparing the Ennerdale Schemes with R. Derwent Scheme 8 is arrived at by transferring about £7m from the Water Authority to BNFL. (This is not shown on the agreed Document 73A but is made clear on Document 100A submitted by the County Council). I regard this difference as reasonably in range of consideration."

5. The Inspector recommended that both the NWFA and the BNFL proposals should be rejected. The Assessors are in agreement with this course.
6. The evidence indicates that some of the extra water needed by BNFL requires to be top quality (R1) Water. The Inspector (on the advice of the Chemical Assessor) considers that these R1 requirements can only realistically be met by abstractions direct from Ennerdale or Wastwater or both and that it would be unwise to use any other source. The Secretary of State accepts this advice.

7. BNFL's proposals for increased abstractions from Wastwater were strongly opposed at the inquiry by the local planning authorities as well as environmental interests and other interested parties. Although the Inspector considers that the resulting drawdown of Wastwater would in itself have only a limited effect, he shares the misgivings expressed by objectors about the effects on the Boathouse Pool and the flow of the River Irt and also as regards the possible "rim" effect on the lake shore. The Inspector is also impressed by the view taken by some objectors that although Wastwater is still at present largely behaving in a natural way, any further abstraction would alter this; and that the condition of the lake is currently therefore at an important threshold. He concludes that because of Wastwater's unique quality in a particularly sensitive area within the National Park, this lake should not be permanently exploited further. In the circumstances the Secretary of State agrees that the proposals submitted by BNFL should be rejected on environmental grounds in accordance with the Inspector's recommendation.

8. Ennerdale too is in the National Park and the objectors to the Wastwater proposals - except for Cumbria County Council - were also generally opposed to the NWWA proposals for raising Ennerdale by 1.22 metres (4 feet). While the Inspector recognises that Ennerdale has already been raised more than once (though not since 1902), he considers that the works required for the further raising now proposed would be totally out of keeping with the environmental scene which recent generations have come to love at Ennerdale in a very special part of the National Park. The Secretary of State agrees with the Inspector that the proposals submitted by NWWA should be rejected on environmental grounds.

9. Objectors to the Ennerdale and Wastwater proposals mostly favoured instead a possible alternative, known as the Derwent 8 scheme, whereby NWWA would obtain their further supplies from the River Derwent outside the National Park - with BNFL getting their extra water from Ennerdale at its present level. Derwent 8 (although not a submitted scheme) was discussed in some detail at the inquiry; and the Secretary of State has carefully considered the arguments put forward. He notes from the cost estimates that (in terms of capital cost) Derwent 8 would be likely to be some £5 million more expensive (at mid 1979 prices) than the submitted Ennerdale 2 scheme. Environmentally however, the evidence suggests that a solution (such as Derwent 8) based on the River Derwent would give rise to much less objection generally than any further raising of Ennerdale. Given the recognised special importance of environmental factors in the Lake District, the Secretary of State shares the Inspector's view that Derwent 8 - albeit more costly than Ennerdale 2 - merits serious consideration as a possible alternative.

10. Bearing in mind however the continuing need for severe restraint in public expenditure, the Secretary of State would need to be satisfied that the size of any scheme (such as Derwent 8) outside the National Park was justified by evidence of need. In the circumstances he considers that NWWA (in conjunction with BNFL) should undertake a reappraisal of estimated future water yields from all other sources of supply. In this regard, it does not seem to him from the information submitted at the inquiry that the possibility of augmenting supplies by further development of groundwater sources has been fully explored. The Secretary of State would therefore expect the reappraisal to reflect any scope for redistribution of existing and any new sources (eg further boreholes).

11. Likely future demands for water would also need to be reappraised and for this purpose the Secretary of State would regard a reasonable planning horizon as about 30 years. An important point also is that the NWWA demand forecasts submitted at the inquiry did not reflect the results of pursuing water conservation policies. He would expect the updated forecasts to have due regard to the need to pursue vigorously efforts to reduce wastage in the public supply system and take all practicable measures to conserve supplies.

12. From these reappraisals of future yields and demands along with any redistribution of sources which may be found feasible, it can be ascertained to what extent top quality water from Ennerdale - at present used for public supplies - could instead be made available towards meeting BNFL's increased requirements. It would then be for NWWA (in conjunction with BNFL) to decide whether to promote a new scheme outside the National Park; and if so, what size this should be.

13. It should be appreciated that any proposals which may come before the Secretary of State for determination at some future time will be considered by him on their merits at that time. Nothing in this letter is to be taken as implying that the Secretary of State will approve or disapprove of any course of action which has not yet come to him for determination.

Short term water needs (BNFL)

14. The Secretary of State notes that at the inquiry BNFL indicated that in the event of their Wastwater proposals not being approved, they would wish to have a temporary consent for increased abstraction of 11 ML/d from Wastwater pending the provision of a satisfactory supply from another source. He also notes that in the Inspector's view this should be considered reasonable. To the extent that the Company's additional requirements in the short term are for top quality (R1) water, the Secretary of State accepts that there appears to be no alternative to a temporarily increased abstraction from Wastwater; and he considers that any forthcoming application by BNFL for a temporary licence should be viewed accordingly.

Formal decisions on Ennerdale and Wastwater proposals

15. The Secretary of State accepts the Inspector's recommendations and hereby refuses:-

- i. to make an order to authorise the raising of the level of Ennerdale Water by the construction of a weir and ancillary works under section 6 of the Water Resources Act 1963 and section 36 of the Compulsory Purchase Act 1965;
- ii. to make an order to authorise the discharge of water from Ennerdale into the River Ehen for the provision of compensation water under section 1 of the Water Resources Act 1971.

16. The Secretary of State hereby:-

- i. dismisses the appeal by the North West Water Authority against the refusal of planning permission for the construction of a weir with a crest height of 113.53 metres AOD across the River Ehen together with ancillary works; and
- ii. refuses to grant the North West Water Authority:-
 - (a) a combined licence to impound and abstract water from Ennerdale and a temporary variation of the Authority's existing licence

No. 27/74C/3/S/8 to abstract from the lake;

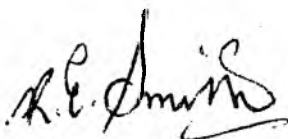
- (b) a licence to abstract from Ennerdale 38,060 megalitres per year for public water supply and 3,500 megalitres per year for the maintenance and augmentation of flows in the River Ehen;
- (c) consent under section 22 of the Commons Act 1899 to the grant and inclosure of about 2.46 hectares of Watering Beck Common;
- (d) a certificate under paragraph 11(1)(a) of Schedule 1 to the Acquisition of Land (Authorisation Procedure) Act 1946 in respect of the land to be given in exchange for the common land.

17. The Secretary of State hereby refuses to grant British Nuclear Fuels Limited:-

- i. an impounding licence to obstruct or impede the flow of Wastwater and a variation of their existing Wastwater licence No. 27/74C/7/L/11
- ii. planning permission to construct a weir, intake facilities and associated underground pipeworks for the storage and abstraction of water from Wastwater.

18. Copies of this letter (which is addressed separately to NWWA and BNFL) are being sent to all interested parties.

I am, Sir
Your obedient Servant



R E SMITH
Director B

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NORTH WEST WATER AUTHORITYNORTHERN AREA
FISHERIES ADVISORY COMMITTEE29TH MARCH 1982FISHERY IMPROVEMENT GRANT AND FISHERY EQUIPMENT LOAN SCHEMES

1. In parallel with the introduction of a new rod licence structure in 1983, a small surcharge is to be made on the freshwater fish and eels licence. The amount involved will be 20p on the full, and 10p on the concessionary, season licences. The 7 day and 'block' (match fishing) licences will not carry any surcharge. The additional revenue will be used to finance two special schemes. One will deal with the provision of grant-aid, in approved cases, to club projects likely to benefit coarse fisheries. The other scheme will involve the setting up of a pool of miscellaneous fishery equipment which will be available on loan to clubs proposing to use it for the benefit of coarse fisheries. The surcharge on freshwater fish licences is expected to yield some £10,000 per annum and the division of this sum between two schemes will be flexible and varied according to demand.
2. In order to protect both the Authority and participants certain conditions will be required in administration of the schemes. The following conditions shall apply in relation to the fishery improvement grant scheme:-
 - (i) The scheme will be administered by the Regional Fisheries Officer, in collaboration with the Finance Officer, Rivers Division.
 - (ii) Applications for grant-aid will be accepted only from clubs and associations within the region in respect of any waters in the region.
 - (iii) Grant-aid will be given only for projects which are aimed at benefiting coarse fisheries. Preference will be given to small localised projects on waters greater than those of 1 hectare in area, the latter being waters for which no rod licence is required. However, at the RFO's discretion, and subject to availability of funds, limited expenditure on worthwhile schemes on waters under 1 hectare could be approved.
 - (iv) Grant will not be payable for purchases of fish for stocking.
 - (v) The rate of grant may vary, at the discretion of the Authority, having regard to the worthwhileness of the project. In no case shall grant-aid exceed 50% of the authorised or incurred expenditure whichever is less.
 - (vi) Applicants for grant-aid will be required to complete an application form, available from the Regional Fisheries Officer, giving details of their project and of relevant associated matters. Grant-aid will not be payable for projects started without approval. Upon receipt of approval of scheme proposals, work shall commence within two months and be

completed within fifteen months thereafter. Failure to meet these requirements may result in all or part of the grant being withheld. There shall be no limit to the number and timing of projects submitted for approval, but no club or association would normally be permitted to have more than one approved project underway at any one time.

- (vii) Projects will need to satisfy the Regional Fisheries Officer and, if engineering works are involved, the Operations Manager, Rivers Division, that they are practicable, worthwhile and eligible for grant under these general conditions. Where the applicant does not own the fishing rights or the land involved, confirmation would normally be required of security of tenure for not less than 7 years ahead, and of the fishery/landowner's agreement to the work proposed. Should waters for which grant-aid is given be sold or transferred to other interests within a period of two years of completion of the project then the Authority may require reimbursement of all or part of the grant-aid.
- (viii) Applicant clubs which do not already do so would be required to make available on completion of an Authority grant-aided project a number of day tickets (to be agreed with the Authority) for the benefit of the public on any fishing water involved in the project. Alternatively, a club with unrestricted membership and where there is no waiting list for entry may be deemed by the Authority to meet this requirement.
- (ix) Payment of grant will be made by the Authority only on its being satisfied that the project has been completed properly in accordance with the approval and on production, by the club or association concerned, of receipted invoices for all work on the project. No payment will be made in respect of club labour or personal expenses by club members.

3. The following conditions shall apply in relation to the Fishery Equipment Loan Scheme:-

- (i) The Scheme will be administered for the whole region by the Area Fisheries Officer (South) at Bancroft House, Liverpool Road, Great Sankey, Warrington (Tel: Penketh 4161, ext. 3428) to whom all applications for loan of equipment should be addressed. The AFO (South) will also be responsible for ensuring that any necessary consents (e.g. for the use of nets or electric fishing gear) are issued to the borrower, and will liaise on this point with AFO(N), where equipment is to be used in his area.
- (ii) A list of equipment available in the pool will be available on request from the Area Fisheries Officer (South).
- (iii) Loan of equipment will be restricted to clubs intending to use it for the benefit of coarse fisheries. No charge will be made for loan of equipment unless transportation to/from site is required, or the equipment is returned in a damaged

condition and requires repair. Equipment will not be loaned for use on enclosed waters of less than 1 hectare in area, (these being waters for which no rod licence is required), except in circumstances specially authorised by the Regional Fisheries Officer.

- (iv) Electric fishing gear and chain-saws may not be used unless a member of the Fisheries Department, experienced in their use, is present and all proper safety precautions are observed.
- (v) Equipment will not normally be loaned out for a period of more than two weeks. This period may, however, be extended with the approval of the Area Fisheries Officer when in his opinion valid reasons exist.
- (vi) During the continuance of the loan period the borrower shall:-
 - (a) Ensure that when in use the equipment is operated in a skilful and proper manner and by persons who are competent to operate it.
 - (b) Keep the equipment in good repair and condition (fair wear and tear excepted) and will permit any officer of the Fisheries Department, at all reasonable times, to enter any premises in which the equipment is kept, for the purpose of examination.
 - (c) Make arrangements for the safe keeping of the equipment either at the address of the borrower or at some secure place near the site at which the work is being carried out.
 - (d) Not sell, let, loan, or otherwise dispose of, or part with, the equipment.
 - (e) Notify the Area Fisheries officer immediately of any damage to, or breakdown or loss of any of the equipment and seek advice on the necessary action to be taken.
 - (f) Pay to the Authority the cost of replacing, missing, damaged or broken equipment or parts thereof.
 - (g) Pay to the Authority all expenses (including legal costs on a full indemnity basis) incurred by the Authority or on its behalf in ascertaining the whereabouts of, or repossessing, the equipment, and of any legal proceedings taken by or on behalf of the Authority to enforce these conditions.
- (vii) The Authority accepts no responsibility of any kind for any defects in any equipment and does not warrant that it is suitable for the particular purposes for which it is or may be required. All conditions, warranties and representations, whether express or implied in favour of the borrower are hereby excluded.

- (viii) No liability whatsoever shall attach to the Authority either in contract or in tort for loss injury or damage (not being loss, injury or damage arising from the Authority's negligence) sustained by reason of any defect in the equipment whether such defect be latent or apparent on examination, or by reason of the use of the equipment by the borrower whether such use be authorised or not by these conditions or any other term of borrowing the equipment, and the Authority shall not be liable to indemnify the borrower in respect of any claim made against the borrower by a third party for any loss, injury or damage (except as aforesaid).
 - (ix) In these conditions "the equipment" includes all replacements and renewals thereof and all accessories and additions thereto whether made before or after the time and date of the issue of the equipment to the borrower.
 - (x) No relaxation forbearance or indulgence by the Authority in enforcing any of these conditions or any other term of borrowing the equipment nor the granting of time by the Authority to the borrower shall prejudice or affect the rights and powers of the Authority hereunder nor shall any waiver of any breach operate as a waiver for any subsequent or continuing breach.
4. The conditions above will be set out on the Equipment Issue Note. The provisions in (vi), (g) and (vii) to (x) are specifically for the protection of the Authority in respect of legal liabilities which might arise.

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NORTH WEST WATER AUTHORITYNORTHERN AREA FISHERIES ADVISORY COMMITTEE29TH MARCH 1982CUMBRIAN COASTAL WATERS NET LIMITATION ORDER

1. Notice was given in the press early in December last of the intention of the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food to confirm the above Order made by the Authority under Section 26 of the Salmon and Freshwater Fisheries Act, 1975. The Order, which seeks to continue limiting the number of drift, hang or whammel nets to four will replace the Cumberland River Board (Limitation of Salmon and Migratory Trout Drift or Hang Net Licences) Order, 1962, which is due to expire on 29th June, 1982.

2. Two objections have been received to the Order:-

- (a) The Egremont and District Anglers Association drew the attention of the Minister to the definition of the excluded area associated with the River Ehen and River Calder, which is defined in the Order as "... the estuaries of the said rivers and those tidal waters and parts of the sea within a radius of 1.5 km from the centre of the railway bridge over the River Calder at National Grid Reference NY 025 027".

The Association refers to the proposed new fishery byelaws where it is intended that the netting of migratory fish shall be prohibited in the Ehen and Calder estuaries within a radius of 3 km from NGR NY 025 027 and requests the Minister to amend the Order to accord with the area defined in the byelaws.

There are several excluded estuarial areas defined in the proposed Cumbrian Coastal Waters Net Limitation Order and in each case with the exception of the Ehen/Calder, the excluded area conforms with the area where netting is prohibited by byelaws.

The Minister has been informed that the Authority would agree to the Order being amended accordingly.

- (b) The second objection is to the proposal to continue limiting the number of licences to four. The objectors suggest that in view of the byelaw proposal to prohibit netting for migratory fish in the estuaries of the River Derwent and River Ellen, the Authority should increase the number of licences for the coastal waters.

The Minister has been informed that the Authority finds no merit in this objection.

3. At the present time the Order, along with three others applicable to waters within the Authority's area, is being considered by the Minister's legal department and a decision is expected shortly.

NORTH WEST WATER AUTHORITYNORTHERN AREA
FISHERIES ADVISORY COMMITTEE29TH MARCH, 1982.REPORT BY THE AREA FISHERIES OFFICER ON FISHERIES ACTIVITIES
SEPTEMBER 1981 - JANUARY 1982

1. RIVER CONDITIONS AND FISHING

Sport during the latter part of the 1981 season was greatly improved by the rainfall which occurred in mid-September and was followed by the best salmon fishing of the season in all rivers. This was particularly noticeable in the Eden where the returns show that for the second year running October was the most productive month. This contrasts with the almost total decline of the spring run. In the early and mid sixties about twice as many fish were caught in the months of January to May as were caught in October. This situation is now completely reversed, and the early season catches are very sparse indeed. The first few weeks of the 1982 season seem to show a continuation of the trend, with steady but small catches so far.

The weather over the winter period has been extremely severe, with very cold periods alternating with wet periods giving rise to serious flooding at times. Conditions for coarse fishing have therefore been generally poor with few fishermen bothering to make the effort. However some very good catches of dace and chub have been made in the lower Eden with individual anglers taking up to 50 lbs of fish in a day. Grayling have also shown up well in catches particularly in the middle and lower Eden.

The catch returns for 1981 at the end of this report (Appendix 2) show that overall it was a good year for sea trout, but the distribution of salmon was uneven, with the Derwent and Border Esk doing well, but the Eden and some of the smaller rivers having a poor year. To a certain extent this was due to the water conditions, with low river flows extending right to the end of the netting season, allowing the nets ample opportunity to make the improved catches evident in 1981.

2. MIGRATORY FISH MOVEMENT

Late runs of salmon were seen in the Eden and Derwent and generally good spawning stocks of both salmon and sea trout were seen in all the major rivers in the area. Conditions for making an accurate count did not develop with the rivers alternately in flood and frozen over in the upper reaches. It is certain that a number of redds will have been destroyed in the floods during December and January, but it is not possible to assess the degree of damage.

Of interest this year is the very late salmon spawning which has been reported from a number of rivers in Cumbria and North Lancashire. For example, salmon were reported to be spawning in the last week in January in the upper Eden, the Kent and the Lune. It is thought that this may have been caused by ice formation on the spawning grounds preventing spawning during the normal period.

Good numbers of kelts have been reported from most rivers, many of them well-mended, once again suggesting that it has been a good spawning season, and that UDN has not caused the losses which have occurred in some previous years.

3. HOLMWRANGLE HATCHERY

Collection of ova for Holmwrangle was reasonably successful, though the experimental use of the coops on the Derwent was not successful due to very high water conditions. Ova laid down are as follows:-

Eden salmon	451,000	
West Cumbria salmon	95,000	
West Cumbria salmon	50,000	at Keswick Hatchery
Scottish salmon	50,000	(out of total order of 150,000)
West Cumbria sea trout	25,000	
West Cumbria sea trout	25,000	at Keswick Hatchery
Northumbria sea trout	30,000	(out of total order for 150,000 for A66)
Brown trout	30,000	

To this we expect to add only 70,000 ova to be reared for Southern Area and some 8,000 salmon ova for Eden Fishery Association if these can be obtained.

Brown Trout

The following sales of brown trout have been made from Holmwrangle:-

<u>Organisation</u>	<u>Nos</u>	<u>Size</u>	<u>Site of Stocking</u>
BNFL (Salwick)	500	10"	Claughton Lake
Brampton A.A.	500	8"	River Irthing
Carnforth A.A.	300	8-10"	River Keer
Endmoor A.A.	300	8"	Peasey Beck
Westmorland F.F.	500	11"	Barwick Tarn
Colemire A.C.	600	11"	Colemire
Northern Division	500	10"	Poaka Beck Reservoir

The Authority has also stocked Meadley Reservoir in West Cumbria with 250 10" brown trout. This was to replace fish removed when the reservoir was drained for repairs.

4. STOCKING BY ANGLING ASSOCIATIONS

Ten consents for the introduction of fish have been issued by the Authority and the normal inspection procedures carried out.

5. FISH DISEASE

The normal outbreaks of post-spawning fungus infection have occurred in all rivers from November onwards, but these have now receded again and the situation is satisfactory at present.

6. SERIOUS OFFENCES

Poaching activity continued at a high level until the high water conditions developed in mid September, when it slowly declined. However, in some parts of West Cumbria isolated incidents continued right through the spawning season. In a number of areas problems have been encountered with youths taking kelts which they sell for dog food. These fish are apparently highly prized as food for racing greyhounds.

7. MANAGEMENT AND SURVEY WORK

Samples of salmonids have been obtained for MAFF from rivers in the area in order to check for the presence of Whirling Disease in wild populations. This is a result of a widespread outbreak of this disease in fish farms in the south and east of England and in Yorkshire.

8. STAFF

Bailiff P. Leith who covered the Border Esk retired due to ill health in February after seven years' service. A replacement has not yet been appointed.

Mr. J.B. Rogers, the Principal Fisheries Assistant for North Cumbria left in August 1981 to take up a post of Regional Fisheries Manager in the Republic of Ireland. He has not yet been replaced.

9. PROSECUTIONS

As requested by the Committee, details of prosecutions from 1980 to date are appended. (Appendices 3 and 4).

FISH COUNTER DATA

	Year1 R.Derwent		Basinghyll R.Kent		Duddon Hall R.Duddon		Haverthwaite R.Leven		Halton R.Lune		Skerton R.Lune		Broadrairie R.Lune		Winckley Hal R.Hodder		Waddow Weir R.Ribble		Locks Weir R.Ribble	
	Under 4lb	Over 4lb	Under 4lb	Over 4lb	Under 4lb	Over 4lb	Under 4lb	Over 4lb	Under 4lb	Over 4lb	Under 4lb	Over 4lb	Under 4lb	Over 4lb	Under 4lb	Over 4lb	Under 4lb	Over 4lb	Under 4lb	Over 4lb
1981																				
March	174	32	6	4	-	-	-	-	12		4		78	-	(28th-31st)		-	-		-
April	88	19	9	7	3	1	-	-	68		35		70	9	3	2	14 12 (5th-30th)			-
May	1595	734	196	85	13	4	7	3	694		51		140	21	182	22	120	108		-
June	2353	405	11909	418	140	11	51	11	1850		97		150	44	437	63	473	64		33
July	5980	5867	3608	605	261	29	125	10	1195		179		466	56	1313	203	1248	479		32
August	4005	1912	199	236	137	18	99	9	926		114		363	37	394	58	1097	204		-
Sept.	797	471	1754	168	61	5	70	12	1408		402		44	72	353	100	478	476		64
Oct.	645	237	338	159	43	2	10	1	1764		4		346	56	60	33	242	42		141
Nov.	1425	466	119	73	22	4	7	0	4163		108		*	221	108	113	96	33		118
Dec.	185	57	11	4	23	10	0	1	1064		27		*	7	0	0	0	0		10
1982 Jan.	861	143	8	2	-	-	-	-	12		2		10	-	-	-	-	-		-
TOTAL	18108	10343	18157	1761	703	84	369	47	13156		1023		1667	523	2850	594	3768	1418		398
	Counter out of action from 14.4.81 to 22.4.81								Halton crest counter operational from 18.9.81				*No small fish count from 16.10.81							

NORTH WEST WATER AUTHORITY

RIVERS DIVISION

MONTHLY SALMON CATCHES ROD AND LINE 1981 SEASON

River	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Total	Average Weight
	No. Wt.	No. Wt.	No. Wt.	No. Wt.	No. Wt.	No. Wt.	No. Wt.	No. Wt.	No. Wt.	No. Wt.	No. Wt.	(lbs)
Border Esk	- -	4 49	4 45½	- -	- -	- -	8 80	7 60½	52 563½	39 471	114 1269½	11.13
Eden	13 193½	26 345½	45 510½	45 551½	45 443½	33 351½	32 291½	29 232	69 675½	116 1558	453 5152½	11.37
Derwent	- -	1 18	2 16	2 17	2 15½	34 375	83 715½	88 741½	187 1541½	209 2237½	608 5676½	9.33
Cocker	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	5 26½	5 44½	13 97	30 263½	53 431½	8.13
Ellen	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 7½	4 19½	3 20	8 55½	22 151	38 253½	6.67
Ehen	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	4 35	5 39½	4 37	13 89½	10 71½	36 270½	7.50
Calder	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 5	- -	- -	6 32	12 89½	19 126½	6.67
Irt	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	2 17½	8 43	14 85½	16 116	24 187½	64 449½	7.02
Annas	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 3½	1 4	1 6	3 13½	4.50
Esk	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	3 10	4 33	8 96½	15 139½	9.30
Duddon	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	3 25½	2 15½	5 41½	8.25
Leven	- -	- -	- -	5 61½	- -	3 3½	3 20	- -	10 69	13 85½	34 275½	8.10
Crake	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 1½	3 10½	1 4½	4 22	5 35½	14 85½	6.10
Kent	- -	- -	- -	- -	8 80½	16 15½	23 175½	31 244½	28 171½	37 238	143 1065	7.44
Bela	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 2½	1 3½	2 6	3.00
Lune	- -	- -	- -	- -	11 122½	38 403½	34 294½	50 470½	172 1951½	151 1766½	456 5008	10.98
Ribble	- -	- -	3 38½	5 75½	24 300½	44 503	43 423½	53 534½	136 1298½	187 1866½	495 5040½	10.18
Hodder	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	3 48	9 77½	15 163½	60 654½	122 1464½	209 2408½	11.52
Wyre	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	2 14½	2 12½	3 12½	7 57½	21 127½	35 224½	6.42
Keer	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	-
TOTALS	13 193½	31 412½	54 610½	57 705½	90 962½	182 1965½	262 2229	307 2665½	790 7459½	1010 10734½	2796 27938	9.99

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RIVERS DIVISION

MONTHLY SEA-TROUT CATCHES ROD & LINE, 1981 SEASON

RIVER	MAY		JUNE		JULY		AUGUST		SEPTEMBER		OCTOBER		TOTAL		AVERAGE WEIGHT lbs
	No.	Wt.	No.	Wt.	No.	Wt.	No.	Wt.	No.	Wt.	No.	Wt.	No.	Wt.	
Border Esk (Eng)	15	30½	153	299½	371	666½	164	264½	125	171½	152	78½	980	1510½	1.54
Eden	36	63½	176	364½	370	726½	174	393½	58	97	17	38½	831	1683½	2.02
Derwent	28	55½	128	394	200	378½	165	275	78	152½	7	13	606	1268½	2.09
Cocker	-	-	-	-	5	7½	3	10	3	11½	-	-	11	29½	2.66
Ellen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	7	4	8½	7	15½	2.25
Ehen	-	-	10	20½	40	49½	66	92½	21	31½	3	7	140	201½	1.44
Calder	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	4	1	4½	2	7½	5	16	3.20
Irt	-	-	8	17	40	86½	28	71½	18	42	1	1½	95	218½	2.30
Esk	-	-	-	-	26	46	28	58½	24	34½	7	14	85	153	1.80
Duddon	-	-	2	7½	8	13½	17	21½	16	20½	-	-	43	62½	1.45
Leven	5	10½	15	41	78	159½	110	229½	93	181½	52	110½	353	732½	2.07
Crake	-	-	1	3½	35	59	14	14½	9	9½	8	9½	67	95½	1.43
Kent	14	18½	38	70½	58	150½	61	117	47	96½	10	13½	228	466½	2.05
Lune	19	44	175	483½	376	866½	399	720	287	558½	54	132	1310	2804½	2.14
Others	-	-	2	7½	17	30	57	47	29	30½	9	12½	114	127½	1.12
Northern Area	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ribble	6	8	34	78	109	263½	82	172	38	89	22	61	291	671½	2.30
Hodder	-	-	20	67	106	269½	96	218½	46	86	12	35½	280	676½	2.42
Wyre	-	-	1	1½	3	4½	10	17½	27	41	17	24½	58	88½	1.52
TOTAL	123	230½	763	1856	1842	3776½	1476	2727	923	1663½	377	568	5504	10821½	1.97

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RIVERS DIVISION

MONTHLY SALMON CATCHES NETS AND FIXED ENGINES 1981 - SEASON

	March		April		May		June		July		August		September		Average Weight	Total	
	No.	Wt.	No.	Wt.	No.	Wt.	No.	Wt.	No.	Wt.	No.	Wt.	No.	Wt.	lbs.	No.	Wt.
Eden & Esk	-	-	29	314½	65	733½	144	1454½	403	3045½	612	5761½	84	876	9.11	1337	12185½
Coastal Drift	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	116½	133	1061	272	2223½	38	411½	8.34	457	3812½
South & West Cumbria	-	-	-	-	5	36	10	79½	24	192½	21	139½	-	-	7.45	60	447½
R. Ellen HAAF	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26	198½	43	335	-	-	7.73	69	533½
Duddon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	38	2	15	-	-	10.60	5	53
Leven	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	136½	9	47	-	-	7.34	25	183½
Kent	-	-	-	-	1	4½	2	22	36	273½	16	150½	-	-	8.20	55	450½
Lune	-	-	-	-	35	361½	221	2273½	1134	13349½	840	7540	-	-	10.55	2230	23524½
Ribble	-	-	-	-	31	387	139	1651	408	5040	232	2819	-	-	12.22	810	9897
TOTAL	-	-	29	314½	137	1522½	530	5597	2183	23334½	2047	19031	122	1287½	10.12	5048	51087

NORTH WEST WATER AUTHORITY

RIVERS DIVISION

MONTHLY SEA TROUT CATCHES NETS AND FIXED ENGINES 1981 SEASON

	March		April		May		June		July		August		September		Average Weight	Total	
	No.	Wt.	No.	Wt.	No.	Wt.	No.	Wt.	No.	Wt.	No.	Wt.	No.	Wt.	lbs.	No.	Wt.
Eden & Esk	-	-	75	136	804	1978	2225	4873	804	1698½	47	112	-	-	2.22	3955	8797½
Coastal Drift	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	59½	5	20	-	-	-	-	4.68	17	79½
South & West Cumbria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
R. Ellen - HAAF	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	109	269¼	83	168	-	-	2.28	192	437¾
Duddon	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	5½	9	25¼	1	3½	-	-	3.11	11	34¼
Leven	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3¼	7	25¼	1	6½	-	-	3.94	9	35½
Kent	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3½	9	45	2	8½	-	-	4.75	12	57
Lune	-	-	-	-	123	542½	518	2143¼	270	996¼	24	83	-	-	4.03	935	3765
Ribble	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	62	7	37	1	4	-	-	5.72	18	103
TOTAL	-	-	75	136	927	2520½	2768	7150	1220	3117½	159	385½	-	-	2.58	5149	13309½

FISHERY PROSECUTIONS 1980/81

Name and Address	Offence	River & Date	Court & Date	Result
Alan Kendall, 51 Edgehill Road, Carlisle.	Failing to produce a fishing licence.	Brunstock Beck 5.1.80	Carlisle 24.4.80	Fined £10 Costs £5
John Adams, 13 Mitchell Ave., Northside, Workington.	Possession of an unlicensed instrument (net).	Derwent 8.10.79	Crown Court Carlisle 23.4.80	12 months imprisonment
Stephen Ronald Hampton, 1 Iredale Cresc., Workington.	Possession of an unlicensed instrument (net).	Derwent 8.10.79	Crown Court Carlisle 23.4.80	12 months imprisonment
John McIvor, 99 Windermere Ave., Orford, Warrington.	Fishing for trout freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Eden 16.2.80	Penrith 27.5.80	Fined £12
George Barclay, 120 Grasmere Ave., Workington.	(1) Removal of fish (2) Failing to state correct name and address.	Derwent 10.1.80	Workington 16.4.80	(1) Fined £40 (2) Fined £20 Costs £15
Ronald Heskett, 9 Nairn Street, Flimby, Maryport.	(1) Using an unauthorised fixed engine to take salmon. (2) Fishing without a licence (net). (3) Using a monofilament net.	Flimby Shore 4.8.79	Maryport 23.5.80	(1) Fined £50 (2) Fined £50 (3) Fined £50 Advocates Fee £30
John Warwick Slack, 39 Wetheriggs Rise, Penrith.	(1) Failing to state correct address. (2) Fishing without a licence. (3) Using a prohibited instrument (snatch). (4) Refusing to allow a Water Bailiff to make a search.	Eamont 22.1.80	Penrith 28.10.80	(1) Fined £20 (2) Fined £12 (3) Dismissed (4) Dismissed
Keith James Pearson, 18 New Lane, Penwortham, Preston.	Fishing for trout, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Lake Bassenwaite 20.2.80	Keswick 13.6.80	Fined £10
Douglas William Atkinson, 40, Clifton Lodge, Great Clifton, Workington.	(1) Failing to state correct name and address. (2) Aiding and abetting Kaleinikas (throwing stones).	Cocker 28.10.79	Cockermouth 19.5.80	(1) Acquitted (2) Acquitted Insufficient evidence.

Name and Address	Offence	River & Date	Court & Date	Result
Raymond Kaleinikas, 20 Kirkgate, Cockermouth.	(1) Failing to state correct name and address. (2) Obstructing a Water Bailiff. (3) Throwing stones.	Cocker 28.10.79	Cockermouth 19.5.80	(1) Acquitted (2) Acquitted (3) Acquitted Insufficient evidence.
Kevin Wild, 68 Latrigg Close, Keswick.	(1) Using a prohibited instrument (garden fork). (2) Possession of unclean salmon. (3) Removal of fish.	Cocker 4.2.80	Cockermouth 12.5.80	(1) Fined £5 (2) Fined £2 (3) Fined 25 Costs £2
Christopher James Bevan, 2 Oaklands Cottage, Red Brow Lane, Daresbury.	Using maggot as hook bait during the period from and including 15th March to and including 15th June.	Ullswater 4.4.80	Shap 17.7.80	Fined £1 Costs £5
Ian James Cartwright, 27 Roscoe Avenue, Warrington.	Using maggot as hook bait during the period from and including 15th March to and including 15th June.	Ullswater 4.4.80	Shap 17.7.80	Fined £1 Costs £5
Jack Hindle, 86 Garden Village, Darwen, Blackburn.	Fishing for trout, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Ullswater 4.4.80	Shap 17.7.80	Fined £1 Costs £5
Edmund Brown, 188 Old Road, Ashton-in-Makerfield.	Using maggot as hook bait during the period from and including 15th March to and including 15th June.	Brotherswater 18.3.80	Penrith 8.7.80	Fined £1 Costs £5
Guy Sanders Hague, c/o Victoria Hospital, Blackpool.	Using maggot as hook bait during the period from and including 15th March to and including 15th June.	Ullswater 18.3.80	Penrith 8.7.80	Fined £1 Costs £5
Milner Kemp Ford, 6 Fallingworth Rd., Bately, Yorks.	Fishing for trout, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Ullswater 7.4.80	Penrith 5.8.80	Fined £1 Costs £5
Malcolm Glover, 48 Washacre, West Houghton, Manchester.	Using maggot as hook bait.	Ullswater 7.4.80	Penrith 5.8.80	Fined £1 Costs £5

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Ronald David Vaughan, 7 Cherbury Court, Cherbury Street, London.	Fishing for trout freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Ullswater 7.4.80	Penrith 5.8.80	Fined £12 Costs £5
Samuel Whittle, 23 Regency Court, Scholes, Wigan.	Fishing for trout freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Ullswater 4.4.80	Penrith 5.8.80	Fined £12 Costs £5
Andrew Thwaites, 153 Windy Brow, Keswick.	Fishing for trout, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Crummock Water 7.4.80	Workington 18.8.80	Fined £40 Costs £5
Alan McNichol, 84 Latrigg Close, Keswick.	Fishing for trout, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Crummock Water 7.4.80	Workington 18.8.80	Fined £40 Costs £5
Neil David Cartner, 11 Moor Road, Longtown, Cumbria.	Possession of an unlicensed instrument (net)	Border Esk 27.5.80	Carlisle Juvenile 6.8.80	Fined £10
Geoffrey Beaty, 68 Prescott Road, Carlisle.	(1) Theft Act (2) Fishing for trout, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Calder 2.6.80	Carlisle 12.8.80	(1) Fined £10 (2) Fined £10
Michael Barclay, 42 Waldergrave Rd., Carlisle.	(1) Theft Act. (2) Fishing for trout, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Calder 2.6.80	Carlisle 12.2.80	(1) Fined £10 (2) Fined £10
Douglas Anthony Brown, 70 Bowshaw Close, Sheffield.	(1) Using a light to take fish. (2) Using maggot as hook bait. (3) Using maggot not on or attached to a hook. (4) Fishing for trout freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Ullswater 6.4.80	Penrith 19.8.80	(1) Fined £12 (2) Fined £12 (3) Fined £12 (4) Fined £12 Costs £10

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Raymond Ernest Ellis, 692 City Road, Sheffield.	(1) Using a light to take fish. (2) Using maggot as hook bait. (3) Using maggot not on or attached to a hook. (4) Fishing for trout, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Ullswater 6.4.80	Penrith 19.8.80	(1) Fined £ (2) Fined £ (3) Fined £ (4) Fined £ Costs .
Leonard Guest, 69 Common Lane, Leigh.	Fishing for trout, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Ullswater 30.3.80.	Shap 21.8.80	Fined £10
Frank Guest, 35 Pennine Way, Golborne.	Fishing for trout, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Ullswater 30.3.80.	Shap 21.8.80	Fined £10
Frank De Graff, 32 Borrow Walls, Northside, Workington.	(1) Possession of an unlicensed instrument (net). (2) Netting in a prohibited area.	River Derwent 12.5.80.	Workington 20.8.80	(1) Fined £3 (2) Fined £3 Costs £1
Shaun Currier, 56 Hillcrest, Northside, Workington.	(1) Possession of an unlicensed instrument (net). (2) Netting in a prohibited area.	River Derwent 12.5.80.	Workington 20.8.80	(1) Fined £3 (2) Fined £3 Costs £1
Charles Hunter, Hope Lodge, Stockwell End, Tettenhall.	(1) Taking trout otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument. (2) Taking brown trout of a size less than 200 mm.	River Derwent 7.4.80	Keswick 22.8.80	Fined £15 " £15 Costs £10
Lee Whitehead, 21 Oak Street, Shaw, Oldham.	Fishing for trout, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Ullswater 29.4.80	Penrith 19.8.80	Fined £12 Costs £5
Stephen Mark Nichols, 1 Cliff Road, Sandysike, Longtown.	- do -	Esk 4.6.80	Carlisle 28.8.80	Fined £10 Costs £5

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John Nicholson, 14 Albert Street, Millhead, Carnforth.	Using maggot as hook bait.	Ullswater 6.4.80	Penrith 19.8.80	Fined £12 Costs £5
Eric Bradbury, 46 Burley Crescent, Winstanley, Wigan.	Fishing for trout, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	4.4.80 Ullswater	Penrith 19.8.80	Fined £12 Costs £5
Alexander Brown, 31 Avondale Street, Standish, Wigan.	Using maggot as hook bait during the period from and including 15th March to and including 15th June.	20.4.80 Irthing	Carlisle 2.9.80	Fined £10 Costs £7.50
Graham Morris, 34 Woodland Way, Huntington.	- do -	4.5.80 Brotherwater	Penrith 9.9.80	Fined £12 Costs £5
David Hollins, 35 Faversham Crescent, York.	- do -	"	"	Fined £12 Costs £5
David Lowcock, 108 Gaskell Street, St. Helens.	- do -	"	"	Fined £12 Costs £5
David Stowell, 118 Harcourt Road, Blackpool.	(1) Fishing for freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument. (2) Using maggot not on or attached to a hook.	4.5.80 Ullswater	Penrith 9.9.80	Fined £12 Fined £12 Costs £5
Peter Ellis, 124 St. Lukes Road, Blackpool.	- do -	"	"	Fined £12 Fined £12 Costs £5
Keith O'Hara, 3 Exmoor Grove, Hartlepool.	Using maggot as hook bait during the period from and including 15th March to and including 15th June.	13.4.80 Ullswater	Shap 11.9.80	Fined £15 Costs £10
Tom Brolly, 138 Brudinell Road, Leeds.	- do -	26.5.80 Ullswater	Penrith 16.9.80	Fined £12 Costs £5
Malcolm Pickering, 60 Oswald Street, Carlisle.	Failing to produce a fishing licence.	21.5.80	Penrith 16.9.80	Fined £12 Costs £5

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Johnson Brannelly, 122 Vincent Street, St. Helens.	Using maggot as hook bait during the period from and including 15th March to and including 15th June.	Brotherwater 18.5.80	Penrith 16.9.80	Fined £12 Costs £5
Douglas Leyland, 6 Scarisbrick Place, Liverpool.	- do -	25.5.80	Penrith 16.9.50	Fined £12 Costs £5
John Edmund, 67 Marlborough Road, Oxbridge, Stockton.	(1) Fishing for trout, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument. (2) Using maggot as hook bait.	31.5.80	Penrith 30.9.80	(1) Fined £12 (2) Fined £12 Costs £5
Peter Salmon, 36 Wimpole Road, Stockton-on-Tees.	- do -	31.5.80	Penrith 30.9.80	(1) Fined £12 (2) Fined £12 Costs £5
Edward Boyle, 38 Linwood Road, Liverpool.	Using maggot as hook bait during the period from and including 15th March to and including 15th June.	25.5.80	Penrith 30.9.80	Fined £12 Costs £5
James Coulson, 40 Haven Road, Liverpool 10.	- do -	25.5.80.	Penrith 30.9.80	Fined £12 Costs £5
Garry Forster, 154 Whincover Drive, Leeds, 12.	- do -	30.5.80	Penrith 30.9.80	Fined £12 Costs £5
Colin Jeffels, 80 Brookfield Road, Fairfield, Stockton.	(1) Fishing for trout, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument. (2) Using maggot as hook bait.	Ullswater 31.5.80	Penrith 7.10.80	(1) Fined £12 (2) Fined £12 Costs £5
Howard Cook, 151 Calverley Lane, Leeds, 13.	Using maggot as hook bait.	Ullswater 30.5.80	Penrith 7.10.80	Fined £12 Costs £5
Edward Barker, 13 Maple Avenue, Winton, Eccles.	Using maggot as hook bait.	Ullswater 18.5.80	Penrith 7.10.80	Fined £12 Costs £5
Brendan Daniel 85 Lancia Drive, Leeds, 13.	Using maggot as hook bait.	Ullswater 30.5.80	Penrith 7.10.80	Fined £12 Costs £5

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Jack Marston, 26 Springbank Avenue, Farsley, Pudsey.	Using maggot as hook bait.	Ullswater 25.5.80	Shap 16.10.80	Fined £15 Costs £5
Andrew Thomas Steele, 41 Fensway, Hutton, Preston.	Using maggot as hook bait.	Ullswater 25.5.80	Shap 16.10.80	Fined £15 Costs £5
Richard Czyzewski, 49 Kittlingborn Brow, Higher Walton, Preston.	Using maggot as hook bait.	Ullswater 25.5.80	Shap 16.10.80	Fined £15 Costs £5
Robert Dalton, 26 Tennison Drive, Orgill, Egremont.	Using a prohibited instrument (snare)	Ehen 29.6.80	Whitehaven 22.10.80	Fined £100 Costs £15
Michael McVeigh, 11 Keats Drive, Orgill, Egremont.	Using a prohibited instrument (snare)	Ehen 29.6.80	Whitehaven 8.10.80	Fined £100 Costs £15
Keith Hunter, 55 Briscoe Mount, Egremont.	Netting in a prohibited area.	Ehen 6.7.80	Whitehaven 8.10.80	Fined £100 Costs £15
Andrew Gerard McAteer, 92 Castle Drive, Penrith.	Fishing for trout, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Brotherswater 6.4.80	Penrith 11.11.80	Fined £13 Costs £10
Ian Cross, 24 Croft View, Long Martin.	Failing to produce a fishing licence.	Appleby Jubilee Bridge 25.6.80	Appleby 12.11.80	Fined £10 Costs £5
Frank Sharp, 69 Lockinvar Close, Longtown.	(1) Fishing for salmon trout, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument. (2) Failing to state correct name and address. (3) Obstructing a Water Bailiff.	Esk 25.6.80	Carlisle 13.11.80	(1) Fined £20 (2) Fined £5 (3) Fined £5
William Kelton, 31 Shadey Grove, Raffles, Carlisle.	Failing to produce a fishing licence.	Eden 7.6.80	Carlisle 13.11.80	Fined £15
David Alan Jackson, 28 Kennedy Road, Seaton, Workington.	Using a prohibited instrument (net).	Derwent 13.9.80	Workington 11.11.80	Fined £75 Costs £15

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Keith Graham, 24 Greenwood Terrace, Maryport.	Using a prohibited instrument (net)	Ellen 26.8.80	Maryport 31.10.80	Fined £35 Costs £15
Graham Nixon, 14 Brighourne Drive, Seaton, Workington.	- do -	Derwent 30.8.80	Workington 11.11.80	Fined £75 Costs £15
Everett Price, 24 Peatfield Road, Seaton, Workington.	- do -	Derwent 30.8.80	Workington 11.11.80	Fined £75 Costs £15
Harry Creasey, 29 Briery Dale, Salterbeck, Workington.	(1) Using a prohibited instrument (net) (2) Netting in a pro- hibited area.	Derwent 3.9.80	Workington 11.11.80	(1) Fined £1 (2) Fined £1 Costs £1
Joseph Thomas Hodgson, 16 Holden Road, Salterbeck, Workington.	- do -	Derwent 3.9.80	Workington 11.11.80	(1) Fined £1 (2) Fined £5 Costs £1
Kenneth Christiansen, 12 Greenthwaite, Cleator Moor.	Using a prohibited instrument (snare)	Calder 30.7.80	Whitehaven 6.11.80	Fined £75 Costs £10
Brian Stafford, 2 Earl Street, Cleator Moor.	- do -	Calder 30.7.80	Whitehaven 6.11.80	Fined £50 Costs £10
Steven Wilson, 48 East Road, Egremont.	- do -	Calder 12.7.80	Whitehaven 6.11.80	Fined £50 Costs £10
Malcolm Haslop, 35 Wyndham Street, Cleator Moor.	- do -	Calder 12.7.80	Whitehaven 6.11.80	Fined £50 Costs £10
Thomas Garty, 23 Windy Brow Avenue, Keswick.	Fishing for trout, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Ullswater 2.7.80	Penrith 2.12.80	Fined £13 Costs £6
John Moreman, 32 Merton Road, Highfield, Wigan.	Failing to produce a fishing licence.	Ullswater 7.7.80.	Penrith 2.12.80	Fined £13 Costs £6
Rodger Newland, 6 Tuckey Grove, Rigley, Woking.	Fishing for trout, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Ullswater 4.7.80	Penrith 2.12.80	Fined £13 Costs £6
Joseph William Thurlow, 31 Clifton Lodge, Gt.Clifton, Nr. Workington.	Theft Act	Derwent 2.7.80	Workington 3.9.80	Fined £15 Costs £5

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William Anyon, 28 Clifton Lodge, Gt. Clifton, Nr. Workington.	Theft Act	Derwent 2.7.80	Workington 3.9.80	Fined £15 Costs £5
Geoffrey David Strong, 1 Ling Road, Seaton, Workington.	Theft Act	Derwent 2.7.80	Workington 3.9.80	Fined £15 Costs £5
Trevor Brown, 4 Hunters Close, Seaton, Workington.	Theft Act	Derwent 2.7.80	Workington 3.9.80	Fined £15 Costs £5
Lawrence Linton, 81 Hillcrest, Northside, Workington.	(1) Netting in a prohibited area. (2) Possession of an unlicensed instrument (net).	Derwent 12.7.80	Workington 13.1.80	(1) Fined £100 (2) Absolute Discharge Costs £25
Geoffrey Joseph McKenzie, 65 Holden Road, Salterbeck, Workington.	(1) - do - (2) - do -	Derwent 12.7.80	Workington 13.1.80	(1) Fined £100 (2) Absolute Discharge Costs £25
Robert Douglas Hall, Garth House, Reagill, Shap.	(1) Netting in a prohibited area. (2) Removal of Fish (3) Possession of an unlicensed instrument (net)	Hardendale Shap 2.7.80	Shap 8.1.81	(1) Fined £10 (2) Fined £10 (3) Fined £10 Costs £5
Thomas McKenzie, 21 Borrowdale Road, Carlisle.	Failing to produce a fishing licence.	Irthing 9.8.80	Carlisle 16.12.80	Fined £20
Francis Robert Jackson, Reagill Grange, Reagill, Shap.	(1) Netting in a prohibited area. (2) Removal of fish. (3) Possession of an unlicensed instrument (net)	Hardendale Shap 2.7.80	Shap 8.1.81	(1) Fined £10 (2) Fined £10 (3) Fined £10 Costs £5
William Andrew Jackson, Reagill Grange, Reagill, Shap.	(1) - do - (2) - do - (3) - do -	Hardendale Shap 2.7.80	Shap 8.1.81	(1) Fined £10 (2) Fined £10 (3) Fined £10 Costs £5
William Carruthers, 13 High Street, Bransty, Whitehaven.	Using an unauthorised fixed engine for taking salmon and migratory trout.	Flimby Beach 6.7.80	Maryport 9.1.81	Fined £25 Costs £50
Trevor Mark Brown, 4 Hunters Close, Seaton, Workington.	Possession of an unlicensed instrument (net)	Derwent 6.9.80	Workington 30.12.80	Fined £50 Costs £7.50

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Philip Walker, 2 Castle View, Back Lane, Kendal.	Using a prohibited instrument (snatch)	Kent 1.9.80	Kendal 12.1.81	Fined £20
Leonard Ellis, 42 Manor Drive, Leeds, 6.	Using maggot as hook bait.	Ullswater 17.5.80	Penrith 24.2.81	Fined £13 Costs £10
Donald Gatenby, 72 Blackmoor Road, Leeds, 16.	Using maggot as hook bait.	Ullswater 17.5.80	Penrith 24.2.81	Fined £13 Costs £10
Robert Graham, 7 Greta Avenue, Wigton, Cumbria.	Failing to produce a fishing licence.	Eden 5.10.80	Carlisle 24.2.81	Fined £10
Roger Beecham, 2 Derwent Avenue, Southport.	Fishing for salmon during the annual close season for such fish.	Eden 19.10.80	Appleby 18.3.81	Fined £10 Costs £15
Roger Parker, 24 Argarmells Road, Formby.	Taking salmon during the annual close season for such fish.	Eden 19.10.80	Appleby 18.3.81	Fined £10 Costs £15
Kenneth Sarbutts, 65 Belvedere Road, Ashton-in-Makerfield.	(1) Taking brown trout during the annual close season for such fish. (2) Taking brown trout of a size less than 8"	Ullswater 17.10.80	Penrith 17.3.81	(1) Fined £1 (2) Fined £1 Costs £5
Alan Dixon, 16 Town Croft, Dearham, Maryport.	(1) Possession of an unlicensed instrument (net) (2) Obstructing a Water Bailiff.	Ellen 19.8.80	Crown Court Carlisle 12.3.81	Withdrawn from Jury Verdict of 'Not Guilty'
Alan Baker, 30 Croft Crescent, Dearham, Maryport.	(1) Possession of an unlicensed instrument (net) (2) Obstructing a Water Bailiff.	Ellen 19.8.80	Crown Court Carlisle 12.3.81	(1) Fined £1 (2) Fined £2
Brian Richardson, 4 Ullswater Road, Maryport.	(1) Using a prohibited instrument (gaff). (2) Possession of unclean fish. (3) Possession of salmon for sale (31.8 to 1.2)	John Street, Maryport 8.11.80	Keswick 13.3.81	(1) Fined £50 (2) Fined £25 (3) Fined £25 Costs £15
David Leslie Robinson, 16 Bow Flats, Clifton, Workington.	(1) - do - (2) - do - (3) - do -	John Street, Maryport 8.11.80	Keswick 13.3.81	(1) Fined £50 (2) Fined £25 (3) Fined £25 Costs £15

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Robert Cunningham, 29 Ryehill Road, Flimby, Maryport.	Assault on a Water Bailiff	Derwent 8.9.80	Crown Court Carlisle 13.11.80	4 months imprisonment.
David Lomas, 23 Cape Road, Seaton, Workington.	Assault on a Water Bailiff	Derwent 8.9.80	Crown Court Carlisle 13.11.80	4 months imprisonment
Christopher Davidson, 6 Ling Road, Seaton, Workington.	(1) Buying sea trout (31.8 to 1.3) (2) Possession of an unlicensed instrument (double armoured trammel net).	Derwent 8.9.80	Workington 18.3.81	(1) Fined £50 (2) Fined £50 Costs £15
John William Smith, Orchard House, Kirkby Stephen.	(1) Buying salmon (from 31.8 to 1.2) (2) Buying sea trout (31.8 to 1.3) (3) Possession of unclean fish.	Kirkby Stephen Working Men's Club 7.11.80	Appleby 25.3.81	(1) Fined £15 (2) Fined £10 (3) Fined £15 Costs £20
John Heseltine, Town Head, Hawes, North Yorkshire.	(1) Using a prohibited instrument (light) (2) Netting in a pro- hibited area.	Clough 3.11.80	Kirkby Lonsdale 26.3.81	(1) Fined £30 (2) Fined £30 Costs £46
Alan Ford, 165 Newlands Lane, Moorclose, Workington.	(1) Possession of an unlicensed instrument (net) (2) Netting in a prohibited area.	Tidal waters Workington 16.7.80	Workington 24.3.81	(1) Fined £100 (2) Fined £100 Costs £100
Alan Ford, 165 Newlands Lane, Moorclose, Workington.	(1) - do - (2) - do -	Tidal waters Workington 17.7.80	Workington 24.3.81	(1) Fined £150 (2) Fined £150 Costs £100
Wilson Matear 28 Milburn Street Workington	(1) - do - (2) - do - (3) Using a drift net over 275 m in length.	Tidal waters Workington 17.7.80	Workington 24.3.81	(1) Fined £150 (2) Fined £150 (3) Fined £150 Costs £100
David Atkinson Mair, 22 Mitchell Avenue, Northside, Workington.	Possession of an unlicensed instrument (net)	Derwent 7.9.80	Workington 18.3.81	Fined £100 Costs £10
Stephen Wildgoose, 58 Senhouse Street, Siddick, Workington.	- do -	Derwent 7.9.80	Workington 18.3.81	Fined £100 Costs £10
James Palmer White, 59 Senhouse Street, Siddick, Workington.	- do -	Derwent 7.9.80	Workington 18.3.81	Fined £100 Costs £10

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Kevin Anthony Lynch, 5 East View, Redmayne Road, Kirkby Stephen.	(1) Using a prohibited instrument (snare) (2) Using a prohibited instrument (light)	Eden 3.11.80	Appleby 25.3.81	(1) Dismissed (2) Fine £30 costs £2
Andrew Murray, 20 The Crescent, Kirkby Stephen.	(1) " " (2) " "	Eden 3.11.80	Appleby 25.3.81	(1) Dismissed (2) Fined £30 costs £25
Brian Miller, 27 Ennerdale Road, Grasslot, Ewanrigg.	(1) Using a prohibited instrument (stones) (2) Taking trout otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Ellen 26.6.80	Crown Court Carlisle 27.3.81	3 months imprisonment
Kenneth Atherton, 2 Solway View, Maryport.	(1) " " (2) " "	Ellen 26.6.80	Crown Court Carlisle 27.3.81	Sent to Borstal
Kenneth Atherton, 2 Solway View, Maryport.	(1) Taking salmon and sea trout otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument (2) Netting in a prohibited area.	Derwent 6.7.80	Crown Court Carlisle	Sent to Borstal
David Adams, 13 Mitchell Avenue, Northside, Workington	(1) Netting in a prohibited area. (2) Possession of an unlicensed instrument (net).	Derwent 12.8.80	Workington 3.12.80	(1) Fined £20 (2) Fined £20 costs £7.5

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Kenneth Ashton, 96 Honey Well Lane, Oldham.	Fishing for freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Eden 26.10.80	Carlisle 9.4.81	Fined £10
Brian Hamilton, 1 Atholl Court, Oldham.	- ditto -	Eden 26.10.80	Carlisle 9.4.81	Fined £10
Morothy Elsie Young Butchers Arms, Crosby, Ravensworth.	1. Buying salmon (31.8 to 1.2) 2. Possession of unclean fish	Butchers Arms 15.12.80	Appleby 8.4.81	Fined 1. £15 2. Costs £7.50
Michael McLeod Young Butchers Arms, Crosby, Ravensworth	1. - ditto - 2. - ditto -	Butchers Arms 15.12.80	Appleby 8.4.81	Fined 1. £15 2. £15 Costs £7.50
Kenneth James Dean, 1 Church Road, Halewood	Failing to produce a fishing licence	Petterill 23.11.80	Carlisle 23.4.81	Withdrawn (Valid licence produced)
Kenneth Miller, 120 Orton Road, Carlisle	Fishing for freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument	Eden 25.1.81	Carlisle 23.4.81	Fined £10
Jeffrey Ball, 15 Beaconsfield, Prescot.	- ditto -	Eden 23.11.80	Carlisle 23.4.81	Fined £10
Barry Platt 37 Thomas Drive, Prescot.	- ditto -	Eden 23.11.80	Carlisle 23.4.81	Fined £10
Mark Wykes 97 Creighton Avenue, Raffles, Carlisle	1. - ditto - 2. Failing to state correct name and address	Eden 13.1.81	Carlisle 21.5.81	Fined 1. £10 2. £15
Derek Andrew Rome Portland Square, Carlisle	Fishing for freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument	Eden 19.2.81	Carlisle 21.5.81	Fined £10
Christopher Leonard Goldsmith, 390 Blakehall, Firtree Digmoor, Skelmersdale	Fishing for trout otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument	Ullswater 22.3.81	Shap 25.6.81	Fined £15 Costs £5
William Storie 16 Millfield Brampton, Carlisle	- ditto -	Irthing 16.4.81	Carlisle 23.7.81	Withdrawn (Valid licence produced)

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Raymond Mullis 55 Bellburn Lane, Darlington, Co. Durham	Fishing for freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Esk 15.3.81	Carlisle 22.6.81	Fined Costs
Gary Ewings 21 Shenton Crescent Raffles, Carlisle	Fishing for trout otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument	Caldew 27.3.81	Carlisle 14.7.81	Fined
Christopher Ostell 42 Chertsey Bank, London Road, Carlisle	- ditto -	Peterill 31.3.81	Carlisle 14.7.81	Fined
Richard Weaver 7 Pitcairn Crescent Maryport	1. Possession of unlicensed instrument (net) 2. Netting in a prohibited area	Derwent 19.6.80	Workington 25.6.81	Fined 1. £50 2. £50 Costs £ W.E. £2
Joseph Foster c/o 10 School Close, Netherton, Maryport	1. - ditto - 2. - ditto -	Derwent 19.6.80	Workington 25.6.81	Fined 1. £50 2. £50 Costs £ W.E. £2
James Anthony Armstrong 28 Beverley Rise, Harraby, Carlisle	Fishing for freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument	Eden 20.4.81	Carlisle 23.7.81	Fined £
Alexander Guyan 11 Percy St., Carlisle	Using maggot as hook bait	Caldew 31.3.81	Carlisle 23.7.81	Fined £
Christopher Whittaker 85 Roby Street, St. Helens	Fishing for trout otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument	Ullswater 7.4.81	Penrith 21.7.81	Fined £ Costs £
David Tripp 7 Whitewell Terrace, Ryton, Gateshead	Fishing for trout otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument	Ullswater 5.4.81	Penrith 21.7.81	Fined £ Costs
Leonard Anthony Rigby 8 Frodsham Drive, Blackbrook, St. Helens	- ditto -	Ullswater 17.4.81	Penrith 21.7.81	Fined £ Costs £
Peter Worden 84 Belvedene Road, Thornton, Nr. Blackpool	- ditto -	Ullswater 5.4.81	Penrith 21.7.81	Fined £ Costs £
William Barrow 155 St. Helens Road, Prescot	- ditto -	Ullswater 17.4.81	Shap 6.8.81	Fined £ Costs £

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John David Parkinson Deva Close, Kirkby, Liverpool	Using a keep net for retaining fish during the annual close season.	Ullswater 26.4.81	Shap 6.8.81	Fined £10 Costs £10
Ellis, Alexander Crescent Wigan, Wigan.	In possession of an unlicensed instrument with intent to use it for fishing.	Ullswater 28.3.81	Penrith 14.7.81	Fined £13 Costs £5
David Ronald Bourne, Cranshaw Avenue, Rockface, St. Helens	Fishing for trout otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Ullswater 17.4.81	Penrith 18.8.81	Fined £13 Costs £5
Donald John Gavin, Main Close, Wyldock, St. Helens	Using a keep net for retaining fish during the annual close season.	Ullswater 7.4.81	Penrith 18.8.81	Fined £13 Costs £5
Phillip Walters Warren Avenue, South Fleetwood	Being in possession of an unlicensed instrument with intent to use it for fishing.	Brotherswater 17.5.81	Penrith 18.8.81	Fined £13 Costs £5
Alan Bailey Yewdale Road, Little Vue, Carlisle	1. Failing to produce a fishing licence 2. Obstruction of a Water Bailiff	Caldew 27.3.81	Carlisle 27.8.81	Withdrawn (Not the man)
James Anderson Edinburgh Road, Maryport	1. Fishing otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument (hands) 2. Failing to state correct name and address	Ellen 15.7.80	Maryport 12.6.81	1. Conditional Discharge 12 months 2. Conditional Discharge 12 months
Donald Whittaker Barndale Pop Lane, Elswick	Using maggot as hook bait	Ullswater 17.4.81	Shap 20.8.81	Fined £15 Costs £10
Robert Utton, Exeter Place Ashton Estate, Ashton Preston	1. Using maggot as hook bait 2. Using a keep net for retaining fish during the annual close season for such fish	Ullswater 21.4.81	Shap 20.8.81	Fined £15 2. £15 Costs £15
Peter Flynn Cleveland Close, Kirkby, Merseyside	1. Using a keep net for retaining fish during the annual close season for such fish 2. Fishing for trout otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Ullswater 26.4.81	Shap 20.8.81	Fined £15 2. £15 Costs £15
Raymond Wong, 5 High Northgate, Harrow, C. Durham	Using maggot as hook bait	Ullswater 11.4.81	Shap 20.8.81	Fined £15 Costs £10
Alan Ward 3 Rufford Avenue, Haghill, Liverpool	Fishing for trout otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Ullswater 26.4.81	Shap 27.8.81	Fined £15 Costs £15
Tony Berry 5 Haweswater Close, Lower Hill, Kirkby	- ditto -	Ullswater 26.4.81	Shap 27.8.81	Fined £15 Costs £15

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Stephen George Wren 24 Newlaithes Avenue, Morton, Carlisle	Failing to produce a fishing licence	Caldew 29.3.81	Carlisle 27.8.81	Fined
Martin Hooper 75 Ettenby Lea Cres., Stanwix, Carlisle.	Using maggot as hook bait	Caldew 29.3.81	Carlisle 27.8.81	Fine
Brian Norris, 3 Raleigh Street, Padiham	Using maggot as hook bait	Lyne 5.4.81	Carlisle 27.8.81	Fined
Stephen Fisher 18 East Avenue, Woodlands, Doncaster.	- ditto -	Eden 20.4.81	Appleby 26.8.81	Fined Costs
Frank Weston 30 Burrow Walls, Northside, Workington	1. Netting in a prohibited area 2. Possession of an unlicensed instrument (net)	Derwent 8.5.81	Workington 21.7.81	Fined Costs
Douglas Dallas Foster The Caravan The Claffocks, Workington	- ditto -	Derwent 8.5.81	Workington 21.7.81	Fined Costs
Cyril Johnson 27 St. Georges Estate Harrington	Using maggot as hook bait	Ullswater 20.4.81	Shap 3.9.81	Fined Costs
Jack Stewart Price, 4 Fifth Avenue, Blackpool	- ditto -	Ullswater 17.4.81	Shap 3.9.81	Fined Costs
George Quail 25 Hesketh Road, Burscough	- ditto -	Ullswater 17.4.81	Shap 3.9.81	Fined Costs
Anthony Skillen 11A Station Street, Cockermouth	1. Fishing without a licence 2. Obstruction of a Water Bailiff	Calder 7.11.80	Crown Court Carlisle 21.5.81	2 year Suspe Senten
- ditto -	Appeal against Obstruction - Conceded		Carlisle 25.6.81	
	Fishing without a licence	Cocker 14.10.80	Carlisle 25.6.81	Taken Consider
	- ditto -	Derwent 15.10.80	Carlisle 25.6.81	"
	1. Using illegal instrument 2. Fishing without a licence	Cocker 26.8.80	Carlisle 25.6.81	"
Stephen Black 12 Pinfold Close, Cockermouth	1. Using illegal instrument (snatch) 2. Fishing without a licence	Cocker 26.8.80	Cockermouth 12.1.81	Fined 1. 2. £20
Joseph Hill 14 Senhouses Street Maryport	Assault occasioning bodily harm	Derwent 28.8.80	Crown Court Carlisle 14.10.81	£100 Costs £

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n Porthouse, outh Street, kermouth.	1. Using illegal instrument (snatch) 2. Fishing without a licence	Cocker 26.8.80	Cockermouth 12.1.81	Fined 1.£50 2.£20
Scott ne Brow lgill,Maryport	1. Fishing without a licence 2. Obstruction of a Water Bailiff	Calder 7.11.80	Whitehaven 21.5.81	Fined 1.£75 2. £50 Costs £25
nas Fairhurst Whelley an	Using maggot as hook bait	Ullswater 26.4.81	Shap 17.9.81	Fined £15 Costs £5
n Osborne, lar Avenue, keth	1. Fishing without a licence 2. Using maggot as hook bait	Ullswater 17.4.81	Shap 17.9.81	Fined 1.£10 2. £10 Costs £10
ff Knowles Maple Crescent keth	1. Fishing without a licence 2. Using maggot as hook bait 3. Using a keep net for retaining fish during the annual close season	Ullswater 17.4.81	Shap 17.9.81	Fined 1.£10 2.£10 3£10 Costs £10
n McGowan Langdale Drive, scough	Using maggot as hook bait	Ullswater 17.4.81	Shap 17.9.81	Fined £15 Costs £5
liam Thomas Bennett Parsonage Road, olland,Skelmersdale	Using maggot as hook bait	Ullswater 17.4.81	Shap 17.9.81	Fined £15 Costs £5
lip Arthur Hardman Wigan Road, erton	- ditto -	Ullswater 22.4.81	Penrith 22.9.81	Fined £13 Costs £5
ert Brown Edwin Street ion, Sunderland	- ditto -	Ullswater 1.5.81	Penrith 22.9.81	Fined £13 Costs £5
n Keith Williams ation Road, Chapel,Stoke-on-Trent	1. Fishing without a licence 2. Using maggot as hook bait 3. Using maggot not on or attached to a hook	Ullswater 23.4.81	Penrith 22.9.81	Fined 1.£13 2.£13 3£13 Costs £5
es Steward iddowfield Street, lington	1. Fishing without a licence 2. Using maggot as hook bait	Ullswater 23.5.81	Penrith 22.9.81	Fined 1.£13 2. £13 Costs £5
gnen Bradshawe Pearl Lane ster	1. - ditto - 2. - ditto -	Brotherswater	Penrith 22.9.81	Fined 1.£13 2. £13 Costs £5
rew Rowe Arden Grove ckton-on-Tees	1. Using maggot as hook bait 2. Fishing without a licence	Ullswater 27.5.81	Penrith 22.9.81	Fined 1.£13 2. £13 Costs £5
n Alexander Hanesnape Westmorland Road ster	1. - ditto - 2. - ditto -	Brotherswater 20.4.81	Penrith 8.9.81	Fined 1.£13 2. £13 Costs £5

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Ian Rowbottom 18 Langdale Road Woodley, Stockport	Using maggot as hook bait	Ullswater 19.4.81	Penrith 8.9.81	Fined Costs
Leslie George Jones 11 Johnstone Avenue, Newton-le-Willows	- ditto -	Ullswater 17.4.81	Penrith 8.9.81	Fined Costs
Douglas William Cumberbatch, Flat 4, Sutton House, Newcastle-u-Lyne	1. Fishing without a licence 2. Using maggot as hook bait	Ullswater	Penrith	Fined 1 2. £13 Costs
Glen Jones 56 Poleacre Lane, Woodley	1. - ditto - 2. - ditto -	Ullswater 19.4.81	Penrith 8.9.81	Fined 1 2 £13 Costs
Malcolm Marshall 41 Currock Road, Carlisle	1. Using maggot as hook bait 2. Failing to state correct name and address	Irthing 17.5.81	Carlisle 25.9.81	Fined 1 2. £20
Thomas Ellison 37 Banner Street Lower Ince, Wigan	Using maggot as hook bait	Brotherswater 26.4.81	Penrith 29.9.81	Fined Costs
Matthew Butler 12 Thursden Place, Nelson	1. Using maggot as hook bait 2. Using bait not on or attached to a hook	Ullswater 19.4.81	Penrith 29.9.81	Fined 1 2. £1 Costs
Thomas Moon 19A Longmoore Lane, Liverpool 9	Using maggot as hook bait	Ullswater 11.4.81	Penrith 29.9.81	Fined Costs
Andrew Holden 144 Hibson Road Nelson	- ditto -	Ullswater 19.4.81	Penrith 29.9.81	Fined Costs
Kenneth Stocks 335 Brinsworth Road, Rotherham	1. Fishing without a licence 2. Using maggot as hook bait 3. Taking undersize fish	Ullswater 19.4.81	Penrith 29.9.81	Fined 2. £13 Costs
Geoffrey Davis, 27 Broad Oaks Road Urmston, Manchester	Using maggot as hook bait	Ullswater 3.5.81	Shap 1.10.81	Fined Costs
Peter Wright 1 Rowthorpe Road, Deepdale, Preston	1. Using maggot as hook bait 2. Using maggot not on or attached to a hook	Ullswater 21.4.81	Shap 1.10.81	Fined 2. £15 Costs
William Lamb 109 Bowring Park Ave., Liverpool 16	Using a keep net to retain fish during the annual close season for freshwater fish	Ullswater 17.5.81	Shap 1.10.81	Fined Costs
Keith Rodd Flat 2 The Stables 61 Edge Lane, Stretford Manchester	Using maggot as hook bait	Ullswater 3.5.81	Shap 1.10.81	Fined Costs

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Mon Ashby 1 Church Street, Howle Scunthorpe	Fishing for trout, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Ullswater 19.7.81	Penrith 24.11.81	Fined £14 Costs £6
Christian Boardman 1 Bolton Close Westwich, Manchester	Failing to produce a fishing licence	Ullswater 19.7.81	Penrith 24.11.81	Fined £14 Costs £6
John McCluskey 10 Rainham Crescent Leighley, Yorks.	Fishing for trout, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument	Ullswater 19.7.81	Penrith 24.11.81	Fined £14 Costs £6
Colm Atkinson Dukeswood Road, Longtown	Fishing for trout, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument	Esk 21.9.81	Carlisle 8.12.81	Fined £25
Samonn Keyes 2 Dalton Ave., Carlisle	Failing to produce a fishing licence	Eden 8.8.81	Carlisle 8.12.81	Fined £25
Stefon Bil 10 Dukeswood Road, Longtown	Fishing for trout, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument	Esk 21.9.81	Carlisle 8.12.81	Fined £25
Robert Cunningham 9 Rye Mill Road, Limby Maryport	1. Theft Act 2. Using an illegal instrument (snatch)	Derwent	Workington	Fined 1. £100 2. £100
Christopher Davidson Ling Road, Leaton, Workington	1. Theft Act 2. Using an illegal instrument (snatch)	Derwent 26.6.81	Workington	Fined 1. £100 2. £100
Robert Simpkins 2 Birchfield Road, Leventry	Fishing for trout, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Ullswater 18.8.81	Penrith 22.12.81	Fined £14 Costs £6
William Gibson 15 Pearson Drive, Boothle	Fishing for trout, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Ullswater 6.9.81	Penrith 22.12.81	Fined £14 Costs £6
Edwin Reed 11 Church Terrace Maryport	1. Fishing for trout, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument. 2. Using an illegal instrument (snatch)	Ellen 18.8.81	Maryport 4.12.81	Fined 1. £50 2. Conditional Discharge 12 months Costs £10 Confiscation of hook
James Joseph Cullen 10 Brooklands Ave., Maryport	1. Fishing without a licence 2. Obstruction of a Water Bailiff 3. Removal of fish	Derwent	Workington	Fined 1. 2. & 3. £100 Costs £50

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Alan Baker 30 Croft Crescent Deerham Maryport	1. Fishing without a licence 2. Obstruction of a Water Bailiff 3. Removal of fish	Derwent 29.6.81	Workington 21.10.81	Fined 1 2. & 3 £100 Costs £
Sean Barcock 59 Moonside Drive, Maryport	1. Fishing without a licence 2. Obstruction of a Water Bailiff 3. Removal of fish	Derwent 29.6.81	Workington 21.10.81	Fined 1 2. & £100 Costs £
Brian Ormshaw 135 Lily Lane Bamfurlong Wigan.	Fishing for freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument	Ullswater 6.9.81	Penrith 22.12.81	Withdra
Malcolm Sharp 54 Lockinvar Close Longtown	Fishing for salmon, trout, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	ESK 21.9.81	Carlisle 19.1.81	Fined £
Keith Moylan 14 Gerards Terrace Poulton-le-Fylde Blackpool	Fishing for trout, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Ullswater 6.9.81	Shap 21.1.82	Fined £ Costs £
Colin Cook Gray 10 Havelock St., Harwick Roxburghshire	Fishing for salmon, trout, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument	Esk 11.10.81	Carlisle 19.1.82	Fined £
Peter Robert Gardner 1 Temple Buildings Middleton Darlington	Fishing for salmon, trout, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Esk 4.10.81	Carlisle 19.1.82	Fined £
Ronald Harris 255 Prince Consort Rd. Gateshead Tyne & Wear	Fishing for salmon, freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument.	Derwent 17.10.81	Cockermouth 25.1.82	Fined £ Costs £
Kenneth Atherton 2 Solway View Maryport, Cumbria	Using a light	Cocker 13.11.80	Cockermouth 10.8.81	Absolut Dischar Order f destruct of ille instrume
Francis Baden Gibson 45 Hawthorn Ave., Newton, Nr. Preston	Using maggot as hook bait	Brotherswater 3.5.81	Penrith 13.10.81	Fined £ Costs £
Richard Gibson 45 Hawthorn Ave., Newton, Nr. Preston	Using maggot as hook bait	Brotherswater 3.5.81	Penrith 13.10.81	Fined £ Costs £

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Menneth Shenton 1 Hornby Drive, Newton, Birkham, Preston.	1. Fishing for trout otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument. 2. Using maggot as hook bait	Brotherswater 3.5.81	Penrith 13.10.81	Fined 1.£13 2. £13 Costs £5
David O'Neill Chingford Grove, Stockton-on-Tees	1. Using maggot as hook bait 2. Using bait not on or attached to a hook	Ullswater	Penrith	Fined 1.£13 2. £13 Costs £5
Quart Brown The Square, Lakeswood Road Longtown	Taking migratory trout otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument	Esk 9.6.81	Carlisle 23.10.81	Fined £30
John Fell 3 Willow Road, Lanes Walton Heyland	1. Fishing for trout otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument 2. Using bait not on or attached to a hook.	Ullswater 23.5.81	Shap 22.10.81	Fined 1.£15 2. £15 Costs £8
Harry Webster 3 Park Avenue, Ormsby	Using maggot as hook bait	Ullswater 2.5.81	Shap 22.10.81	Fined £15 Costs £8
Norman Andrew Agnew 2 Watchyard Lane, Ormsby	Using maggot as bait not on or attached to a hook during the prohibited period	Ullswater 2.5.81	Shap 22.10.81	Fined £15 Costs £8
James Anderson Grenwell Terrace Maryport	Fishing otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument (hands)	Ellen 3.7.81	Maryport 28.8.81	Fined £40 Costs £10
Frank Irving 3 Edinburgh Road Maryport	Fishing otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument (hands)	Ellen 3.7.81	Maryport 28.8.81 (Fish confiscated)	Fined £40 Costs £10
John Light Wedgewood Street, Liddick, Workington	1. Fishing otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument (net) 2. Use of net as a fixed engine	Derwent 30.6.81	Workington 16.9.81	Fined 1.£40 2. £30 Costs £15
Peter Vincent Maguire Westfield Drive Workington	1. Fishing otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument (net) 2. Use of net as a fixed engine	Derwent 30.6.81	Workington 16.9.81	Fined 1.£40 2. £30 Costs £15
David Adams (15) 3 Mitchell Avenue, Workington	1. Using an illegal instrument (Gaff) 2. Taking salmon during the close season 3. Taking unclean fish	Derwent 9.1.81	Workington Juvenile 8.10.81	Fined £20 2.3. Cond discharge Costs 25
George Joseph Park 3 Westfield Drive Workington	1. Using an illegal instrument (Gaff) 2. Taking salmon during the close season 3. Taking unclean fish	Derwent 9.1.81	Workington 23.9.81	Conditional discharge Costs £25
Thomas Anthony Johnstone 9 Moorside Drive Maryport	Fishing otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument	Netherhall Park Maryport 1.7.81	Maryport 4.9.81	Fined £40 Costs £15
George Hector Clifford Hodgson 3 Racfield, Longtown, Cumbria	Fishing for migratory trout otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument	Esk 27.7.81	Carlisle 6.11.81	Fined £160

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Derek Best 6 Ismay Close, Ellenborough Maryport	1. Fishing otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument (net) 2. Netting in a prohibited area	Ellen 23.6.81	Maryport 12.10.81	Fined £1 2. Absc Disch Costs £
George Cusson 2 Festival Crescent Ewanrigg Maryport	1. Fishing otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument (net) 2. Netting in a prohibited area	Ellen 23.6.81	Maryport 12.10.81	Fined £1 2. Absol Disch Costs £
Philip Haughton 1 Henley Street, Chadderton	Fishing for freshwater fish or eels otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument	Eden 25.10.81	Penrith 16.2.82	fined £
Keith Foster 4 The Bungalows Ewanrigg, Maryport	Fishing otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument (hands)	Derwent 12.7.81	Maryport 15.1.82	Fined £ Costs £
Joseph Foster 25 Ellenfoot Drive Maryport	- ditto -	Derwent 12.7.81	Maryport 15.1.82	Fined £ Costs £
Barry Parker 7 Elterwater Avenue, Workington	1. Using an unauthorised fixed engine 2. Possession of an unlicensed instrument (net)	Derwent 3.8.81	Workington 18.11.81	Fined £ Costs £
Robert Ostle, 147 Grasmere Ave., Workington	- ditto -	Derwent 3.8.81	Workington 18.11.81	Fined £ Costs £
Neil Martin 25 Fountains Ave., Workington	1. Sec.1 - snig hooks 2. Removal of fish 3. Possession of salmon for sale (31.8 to 1.2)	Derwent 8.9.81	Workington 18.11.81	Fined £1 2. £35 3. Costs £
Andrew Yarnold 16 Burrow Walls Northside, Workington	Use of illegal instrument (snatch)	Derwent 8.9.81	Workington 11.2.82	Fined £ Costs £
Andrew Yarnold 16 Burrow Walls Northside, Workington	Possession of an unlicensed instrument (net)	Derwent 6.8.81	Workington 11.2.82	Fined £
Ryan Askew 57 Mitchell Ave., Northside, Workington	- ditto -	Derwent 6.8.81	Workington 11.2.81	Fined £
Ronnie Hampton 80 Hillcrest Northside, Workington	- ditto -	Derwent 6.8.81	Workington 11.2.82	Fined £
Tony Dixon 11 Clifton Lodge Clifton, Nr. Workington	Possession of an unlicensed instrument (net)	Derwent 21.7.81	Workington 11.2.82	Fined £ Costs £
Kevin Jackson 20 The Gravels Clifton, Nr. Workington	- ditto -	Derwent 21.7.81	Workington 11.2.82	Fined £ Costs £

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Chris Messenger Mill Street, Maryport	Use of illegal instrument (snatch)	Ellen 1.8.81	Maryport 12.2.82	Fined £50
John Maguire 7 Harrington Road, Workington	- ditto -	Derwent 7.9.81	Workington 17.2.82	Fined £50 Costs £50
William Wilkinson Lonsdale Street, Workington	- ditto -	Derwent 7.9.81	Workington 17.2.82	Fined £50 Costs £50
Ray Penman Lawson Street Maryport	- ditto -	Ellen 6.8.81	Maryport 20.11.81	Fined £40
Alan Turnbull Edinburgh Road, Maryport	- ditto -	Ellen 6.8.81	Maryport 14.1.82	Fined £30
Charles Harris Hillcrest Northside, Workington	1. Possession of an unlicensed instrument (net) 2. Use of illegal net(monofilament)	Derwent 17. 7.81	Workington 27.1.82	Fined 1.£25 2. £25
Aun Currier Hillcrest Northside, Workington	1. - ditto - 2. - ditto -	Derwent 17.7.81	Workington 27.1.82	Fined 1.£25 2. £25
John Scott Wapping Lane, Rougholme, Dumfriesshire	Use of illegal instrument (snare)	Esk 5.8.81	Dumfries Sherriff Summary 5.2.82	Fined £10
David Straughton Riverside Gufton Workington	Possession of an unlicensed instrument (net)	Derwent 8.9.81	Workington 18.11.81	Fined £50 Costs £15
John Robert Murdock Loweswater Road, Maryport	1. Using an unlicensed instrument(net) 2. Failing to state correct name and address. 3. Obstructing Bailiff Richardson 4. Obstructing Inspector McCartan	Ellen 17.6.81	Maryport 28.8.81	Fined 1.£60 2.£10;3£10 4.£10 Costs £10 Fish confiscated
Ger Little Strand Road, Maryport	1. Took trout with a net that had a mesh of less than 2" 2. Used an unauthorised fixed engine. 3. Took trout otherwise than with rod and line during weekly close time 4. Used monofilament net 5. Took fish with an unlicensed Instrument	Ellen 13.6.81	Maryport 10.12.81	All Charges Dismissed
Alan Denwood High Street, Maryport.	- ditto -	Ellen 13.6.81	Maryport 10.12.81	All Charges Dismissed

NAME & ADDRESS	OFFENCE	RIVER & DATE	COURT & DATE	RESULT
Derek Kimber 1 Brown Street, Workington	1. Using hands to take fish 2. Removal of fish 3. Using an unlicensed instrument (net)	Derwent 20.8.81	Workington 6.1.82	Fined 1 2. £50 3. Withd Costs Net & confisc
David Birch 31 Grasmere Terrace Ewanrigg, Maryport	1. Using an unauthorised fixed engine 2. Taking trout during the weekly close time 3. Taking trout otherwise than by means of a licensed instrument (net)	Ellen Tidal Waters Maryport 21.6.81	Maryport 25.2.82	Condi dischar for 12
Ryan Whitehead Carrick Camp Road, Maryport	1. - do - 2. - do - 3. - do -	"	"	"
Ronald Kirkbride 43 Ellenfoot Drive Maryport	1. Using an unauthorised fixed engine 2. Taking trout during the weekly close time 3. Possession of an unlicensed instru- ment (net)	Ellen Tidal Waters Maryport 18.7.81	Maryport 25.2.82	1. Cond. 12 mt 2 & 3 Withdra Costs £
" "	1. Using an unauthorised fixed engine 2. Possession of an unlicensed instrument (net)	Ellen Tidal Waters Maryport 1.7.81	"	1. Cond 12 mt 2. With draw Costs £
" "	Order for destruction of nets and fish			
" "	1. Using an unauthorised fixed engine 2. Taking trout during the weekly close time 3. Using a monofilament net 4. Possession of an unlicensed instru- ment (net)	Ellen Tidal Waters Maryport 13.6.81	"	Withdra (all charg

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NORTH WEST WATER AUTHORITYNORTHERN AREA
FISHERIES ADVISORY COMMITTEE29TH MARCH 1982CALENDAR OF MEETINGS, 1982-83

1. On 1st March 1982, the Policy and Resources Committee approved a draft calendar of meetings for the Authority, Committees and Sub-Committees for the 'Authority Year' from June 1982 to June 1983 for submission to the Authority for consideration in accordance with Rule 1(3) of the Rules of the Authority at the Annual Meeting to be held on 14th June 1982.
2. The dates proposed for meetings of the Regional and Area Fisheries Advisory Committees are set out in the appendix hereto for the information of members. Any variations made at the Annual Meeting will be notified.

APPENDIX

REGIONAL AND AREA FISHERIES ADVISORY COMMITTEESCALENDAR OF MEETINGS 1982-83

<u>ADVISORY COMMITTEE</u>	<u>TIME AND DATE OF MEETING</u>	
REGIONAL	2.15 p.m. Monday	5th July 1982
Northern Area	2.30 p.m. Monday	11th October 1982
Central Area	2.30 p.m. Wednesday	13th October 1982
Southern Area	2.30 p.m. Wednesday	20th October 1982
REGIONAL	2.15 p.m. Monday	8th November 1982
REGIONAL	2.15 p.m. Monday	31st January 1983
Northern Area	2.30 p.m. Monday	28th March 1983
Central Area	2.30 p.m. Wednesday	30th March 1983
Southern Area	2.30 p.m. Wednesday	6th April 1983
REGIONAL	2.15 p.m. Monday	25th April 1983

NORTH WEST WATER AUTHORITYNORTHERN AREA
FISHERIES ADVISORY COMMITTEE29TH MARCH 1982ROD AND LINE FISHING LICENCES - FORMAT

1. At their meeting on 14th October 1981 the Central Area Fisheries Advisory Committee recommended:-

"That in order to reduce the costs incurred by the Authority in printing and issuing fishing licences, the following procedures be investigated: blank, standard fishing licences together with self-adhesive stamps indicating the type of licence and cost be printed and issued to distributors who on payment of the requisite fee by a purchaser would affix the appropriate stamp to a blank licence."

2. Two options seem open to the Authority in redesigning the present format. These are to re-design the present licence in a standardised printing arrangement using self adhesive stamps but still with counterfoil or a more radical change to licence cards also using self adhesive stamps. If the stamp system is to be used as an indicator of the category of licence, duty stamps will have to be printed for the 12 categories of licence which the Authority will issue for 1983. That is, the four tier system multiplied by the full, concessionary and seven day options.
3. Distribution and collection costs of the present licence forms (which are fastened together in booklets of 10 licences and 10 counterfoils) are not identified as a separate item in the Division costings, but the total cost of printing licences for 1982 was £4,200.
4. There are approximately 350 approved distribution outlets for the sale of Authority licences and, if the licences are in a re-designed booklet format, the distributors would still be responsible for completing personal details of the licence holder and time and date of issue before affixing the appropriate duty stamp. However, by using this booklet there would still be a carbon copy showing to whom the licence was issued, together with time and date of issue. For financial control each stamp would have to be transcribed to the carbon copy of the licence form. This in effect, would be additional work for licence distributors. With a re-designed format, on the above basis, there would be a marginal saving on printing and distribution costs. The estimated costs for 1982 on such a basis would have been £4,150.
5. The licence card system which has been in use with another Water Authority for several years, has a more attractive layout and sense of durability than the present licence and has advantages in terms of distribution and storage. The procedure used for these cards is that the person requiring the licence completes his/her personal details at the distribution point. The card does not, however, become a valid

licence until the distributor has inserted the time and date of issue, affixed the self-adhesive numbered stamp appropriate to the duty payable and cancelled the stamp manually or with his business rubber stamp. The cost of printing licence cards, including catch return cards, would be considerably less than the existing or re-designed booklet system. However, like the previous alternative, printing of duty stamps would still be necessary. Estimated cost for 1982 - £1,209.

6. There is no copy or counterfoil to be maintained by distributors and this is a significant saving in time taken in issuing and in storage space for distributors. As there is no copy or counterfoil, a warning to the licence holder is printed conspicuously on both sides of the licence to the effect that should the licence be lost or mislaid a duplicate cannot be issued.
7. To the angler who loses his licence this would be cause for apprehension, irritation and another payment. However, it has far greater significance if the angler is asked to produce the licence by a bailiff or other authorised person and is unable to do so. Many anglers when asked to produce a licence claim that they have left it at home. In some cases this is genuine, but in others false and no licence is actually held. Under the terms of section 35(3), Salmon and Freshwater Fisheries Act 1975 they are then granted 7 days to produce their licence or proof of purchase. If they do not produce a licence or proof of purchase within the 7 days prosecution normally follows. The card system without a copy or counterfoil means that the angler who has lost a licence is in no different position from others who have not purchased a licence but claim to possess one when questioned. In considering prosecution it would be virtually impossible for the Authority to distinguish between the cases and both would be at the risk of prosecution. Whether asked to produce a licence or not, the onus would be on anglers to avoid their loss.
8. Apart from this aspect, the use of the licence card and stamp system has considerable advantages over the existing method including simplification of completion at distribution outlets, savings in printing cost and the end of the year records are reduced from a bulk of unused and completed licence forms and counterfoils to unused stamps. The Committee should appreciate that if the simplified licence card system is introduced, reversal to a more complex system in future would probably be met with considerable opposition by distributors. The officers are of the view that the licence card and stamp system has considerable merit and should be introduced in time for the 1983 season. The Committee is invited to consider and comment upon the proposals.